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BLIZZARD SWEEPS OVER NEW YORK CITY TODAY, TRAFFIC IS HAMPERED

New York, Feb. 14—Trains were stalled, vessels reported in distress and all kinds of traffic hampered in the worst blizzard that has visited the East in years.

Snow falls from 6 to 9 inches were reported throughout the state.

Seventeen are dead in New York City alone. Charitable organizations found it impossible to care for all the requests for aid from the poor.

Seven passengers were injured and 200 passengers thrown into a panic on an elevated train when snow stuck to the windows and blocked the motorman's view, causing a collision.

The tramp steamer, Catherine Park, which went aground off Cape Charles, Virginia, was released today as was another vessel in distress nearby. The schooner O'Teel, Boston to Philadelphia, went aground off Nantucket Sound. The British steamer Taina was aground off the Georgia coast.

Thirty passengers were cut by flying glass when two street cars collided on Brooklyn bridge.

All trains, particularly from the west, were from one or two hours late. At Schenectady a blizzard was raging and 13 inches of snow lay on the ground. Traffic was paralyzed.

Twenty inches is the depth of snow over northern Pennsylvania, according to reports from Williamsport. Freight trains are carrying light loads.

Sleet and rain followed the snow at Philadelphia and freezing weather is expected again today.

Over 2,000 ocean passengers on ocean liners were unable to land here today because of the storm. Several vessels were forced to put into Halifax for coal before continuing their fight with the gale.

Columbus, O., Feb. 14. Ohio is covered today with a blanket of snow ranging in depth from four inches, reported from a few places to 8.7 inches at Cincinnati.

More snow is predicted tonight by the weather bureau over Ohio, particularly for the northern part of the state. Trains are reported from two to five hours late. Drifting snow has completely filled some railway cuts.

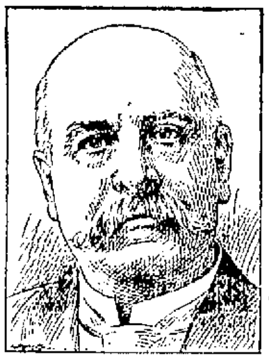
The official temperature recorded at 6 o'clock this morning was 9 above zero in Cincinnati. Street car service there and in other cities was demoralized last night, but resumed with nearly regular schedule this morning. Train service is reported improving.

Newark, O., Feb. 14. Gas pressure weakness of which has caused suffering here for several days was stronger today. Eight inches of snow covered the ground here today.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 14.—Two are dead from the cold today as the result of the third heavy snow of the year. At Scranton 15 inches of snow has already fallen and the weather bureau predicts a fall of 24 inches.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 14.—This entire section of West Virginia, fifteen or more counties, was buried last night under 18 inches of snow. Before transportation lines could be dug out it began snowing again and all business is seriously hampered.

SEN. BACON OF GEORGIA DIED TODAY



AUGUSTUS O. BACON.
United States Senator from Georgia.

Washington, Feb. 14. Senator Augustus O. Bacon, of Georgia, died in a hospital here at 2 o'clock this afternoon. His death was announced to the senate while it was in executive session and just before it had adjourned for the day.

The Georgia senator had been ill for little less than a month from an affection of the kidneys, the exact nature of which it was impossible to ascertain. The immediate cause of his death was a blood clot on his heart.

Senator Bacon was first elected in 1894 and has served continually since. He was the first senator elected under the new constitutional amendment for the direct election of United States senators.

DEATH RECORD OF MINES

Denver, Colo., Feb. 14. One man was killed in the Colorado Fuel and Mine company last year for every 176,910 tons of coal produced, according to J. S. Welborn, president of the company, before the house strike committee today.

The total number killed in the 20 mines last year was 17, in 1912 20 were killed and in 1911 22 were killed.

EARTHQUAKE IN CANADA

Montreal, Feb. 14. An earthquake of sufficient violence to rattle the furniture and awaken residents shook Montreal and the province of Quebec today. No damage was reported.

FOUND IN SNOW DRIFT.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 14. Found with legs and arms frozen in a snow drift today Talf.d Dezer, of San Francisco, may die. He told hospital attendants he was a ... Portsmouth ...

VALENTINES THAT MISSED THE MAIL.

ED H. MOORE RESIGNED OFFICE

Columbus, O., Feb. 14—State Insurance Superintendent Edward H. Moore today formally quit the state service and went to Youngstown, O., where he will manage the wet campaign in the coming local option election.

Governor Cox appointed R. M. Small of New Lexington, who is deputy commissioner to succeed Moore as head of the department. W. L. Finley had been frequently mentioned for the office.

FEDERATION SAID TO BE SOCIALISTIC

Hancock, Mich., Feb. 14. "We cannot recognize the Western Federation of Miners because it is Socialistic in its aims and tendencies and because it is made up in this district largely by Socialists," declared A. E. Reef of counsel for the mining companies at the congressional strike investigation today. The statement was made in explanation of a question asked a witness to which A. W. Kerr, counsel for the copper mine strikers, objected on the ground that it was part of an effort to show that the strike was fostered and fathered by "red" Socialists.

CANTON HELLO GIRLS STRIKE

Canton, O., Feb. 14. Because Mrs. F. W. Jacobs, chief operator's assistant, was forbidden to join their union, 29 girls of the Stark Telephone Company today walked out and declare they will not go back until Mrs. Jacobs is taken back and they are given more pay and shorter hours. They hissed Manager Graham when he came from his office. Mr. Graham said the service was greatly crippled. The girls are picketing the office.

REDUCES CAPITAL

Columbus, O., Feb. 14. The Haas Clothing company, of Portsmouth, was authorized to decrease its capital stock from $50,000 to ... by the secretary of state today.

BLIND SENATOR IS TO TELL STORY TO JURY, DEFENSE HAS INNINGS

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 14. - Senator T. P. Gore was to take the stand late today in his own defense, in Mrs. Minnie E. Bond's $50,000 damage suit against him.

Gore's claim is that the charge is a political frame up. An unusual crowd was attracted by the announcement that the senator was to be the chief witness today. All evidence is expected to be in by tonight. One day will be required for arguments, so that the case will not go to the jury before Monday evening.

Unexpected testimony by United States Marshal J. Q. Newell, while under cross examination by the plaintiff's attorneys greatly strengthened the defense's case. Marshal Newell put words in the mouth of Dr. Earb, strong plaintiff's witness which denied the truth of the story Earb told on the witness stand. According to Newell, Dr. Earb, who is president of the Jacksonian Club, came to him in April, 1913, and brought a clipping from an Indianapolis, Ind., newspaper about the Gore Bond episode.

"That's all a damned lie," said Earb. "I never talked with Senator Gore about that. That's some of Jim Jacobs' work. He cooked that up."

The newspaper story declared that Dr. Earb testified that Senator Gore told him on the morning after the alleged assault that he had "loved her up a little" but that he was "mistaken in the woman and that she had fought like a demon." Senator Gore, who had expected to be a witness, had not been called at noon but there were no other important witnesses to be called.

The first witness called was W. F. Fisher, an Oklahoma City lawyer. Fisher testified to loaning money to T. E. Robertson, the attorney, who witnessed the alleged attack on Mrs. Bond. Deputy Sheriff Ezell testified that Robertson talked to him the day before the suit was filed and had called Senator Gore a "man who has done me dirty."

"It will be sweet revenge to me," Robertson said, referring to the intended suit, according to Ezell's testimony.

ROB POKER PLAYERS

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 14. Three armed men made their way into a poker game today, held up the eleven card players and got away with $300.

ARBOR DAY DATE WAS CHANGED

Columbus, O., Feb. 14. Governor Cox today changed the date of Arbor Day from April 10th to April 24th. The first day is on Good Friday. The Catholic schools are closed on that day and since the law requires that two hours be devoted to the study of nature the change was made necessary.

INDICT RICE FOR MURDER OF DAVIS

Covington, Ky., Feb. 14. The Campbell county grand jury today reported an indictment against George Rice, charging him with the wilful murder of Allan Davis, of Pomeroy, Ohio, whose body was found floating in a box in the Ohio river near New Richmond. Coroner Bigby's investigation of the case led to the arrest of Rice, who is said to have been with Davis on a house boat. Rice was chased down the river and arrested by Boone county officials. Witnesses appeared from various towns along the upper Ohio river where both Rice and Davis were well known.

ARMOR PLATE FACTORY WAS RECOMMENDED

Washington, Feb. 14. As partially completed today, the annual naval appropriation bill contains the recommendation of Secretary of the Navy Daniels that the government buy and operate an armor plate factory. Chairman Padgett, of the house naval committee, wrote the section. It provides that an armor plate factory board be appointed to consist of seven members. Secretary Daniels, three high navy officers and three civilian engineers.

Kansas City, Feb. 14. Mason S. Peters, 69, former Populist representative in congress from the Second Kansas district, died at his home here today of pneumonia.

PRICE FIXING POWER STRONGLY ADVOCATED

Washington, Feb. 14—Chaos in big business if price fixing power is removed, was the gloomy picture President Joy of the Packard Motor Company of Detroit, Mich., painted for the house interstate commerce commission today. He held forth to the members the case of Henry Ford, Detroit millionaire automobile maker and profit sharer, as an example of the success through price fixing.

"Is Henry Ford doing wrong to set standard prices for his cars so that he can do as last year lay up millions of dollars in surplus and dividends. Is it a crime to make money?" he asked.

Turning to the commission subject Joy favored giving it "proper publicity" powers and he also favored passage of a national incorporation act.

NEW LEAGUE PLANNED

Chicago, Feb. 14.—A new eight-club league in major league territory is contemplated by organized baseball, it was announced here today by Ban Johnson, president of the American Baseball league. Johnson said the project was set on foot by President Baker, of the Philadelphia Nationals, and that it was being considered by the major league club owners.

DEPUTY WHO SHOT MINER IS DISMISSED BY COURT

Colliers, W. Va., Feb. 14—Striking miners of the West Virginia and Pittsburgh Coal Company were careful not to cross the company's property line today, following the riot yesterday when James Moore, a striker, was killed, and Harry Lucas, a deputy sheriff, wounded.

Lucas, with four other deputies on duty at the mine during the shooting, were given a hearing before T. C. Jacobs, justice of the peace, at Wellsburg and discharged. The justice held that Moore had violated the law by crossing a line dividing the company property in the strike zone, known as the strike zone.

A heavy force of deputy sheriffs today was patrolling and guarding the mines.

Arbitration efforts have been abandoned.

SUICIDE GIRL IS NOT IDENTIFIED

Cleveland, O., Feb. 14. The body of the girl designated as Mary Brown, who committed suicide by taking poison in the postoffice here Monday when she failed to get a letter she was expecting, was still unidentified today. The coroner said he would hold the body 30 days.

The coroner awaited today the arrival of George Bailey, of Minerva, who wired "hold the body until I come." It was thought yesterday that the body was that of Lena Kramer, of Ashland, Ky., but this was later denied.

MEXICAN PAPER ATTACKS WILSON

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—In spite of the protests made by Nelson O'Shaughnessy and of the instructions of the Mexican foreign office to desist from attacks on President Wilson, the El Imparcial today bore a three-column front page headline reading: "The Word of Wilson Lacks Honor as ... He Himself."

The article comments on the recognition by the United States to the Peruvian government within four days after the success of the revolt.

"This was done," the newspaper says, "in spite of the declaration from the White House on March 11, 1913 that the people of the United States is to deny sympathy to all revolutionary governments. Yankee promises were only along the line of ... ."

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—General Huerta has been aided by the Russian government in getting 10,000 guns and 10,000,000 rounds of ammunition from Ojeda, it was reported here today. An agent of Huerta's bought the arms for Huerta and then turned traitor, selling them to Ojeda. Huerta's agents secured them through the aid of the Czar.

The long expected attack on Mazatlan was begun by the rebels today. General Angels a deserting federal commander, is leading the attack. Three machine guns were set up today at the British ... having been sent from ...

Alarmed by the ... preparations being made by those ... foreign relations ... . They feel real trouble may be expected now at any time.

CARPENTERS TO QUIT THE A. F. OF L.

Indianapolis Ind., Feb. 14.—By a referendum vote the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America have decided to withdraw from the Building Trades department of the American Federation of Labor, it was announced here today.

William L. Hutcheson, first vice-president of the organization, said the action will not affect membership of the carpenters' organization in the American Federation of Labor. Carpenter unions need not withdraw from local buildings trades councils, it was announced.

SCREEN LAW ATTACKED BY COAL MAN

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 14—The Green anti-screen bill passed by the Ohio legislature, but not yet signed, today widened the breach between operators and miners of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Western Pennsylvania assembled here in joint session to arrange a joint wage scale. C. E. Maurer, of Cleveland, spokesman for the operators, attacked the bill as unfair and unconstitutional in that payment was demanded for dirt and slate as well as for coal, in reality a deprivation of property without due process of law. He charged that William Green, state senator and secretary of the joint conference, introduced the bill *in his capacity as an official of the United Mine Workers.* Green vigorously denies this. Maurer also intimated that suits may be brought to test the constitutionality of the law.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14. The question of weighing coal before it is screened and paying the miners on a mine run basis, was one of the more important questions being considered by miners and operators at their joint conference here today. The operators have rejected all of the demands of the miners and the latter have refused to accept the counter proposition of the operators.

Item by item of all the proposals and counter proposals of each side will be taken up in an effort to arrange a new wage scale. Opinions before the conference was that an agreement would be reached in the end, but it was not thought a compromise would be reached for several days yet.

FEW INCOME RETURNS

Chicago, Feb. 14. 50,000 blanks for income tax statements have been given out here but less than 4000 have been returned to the local branch of the internal revenue servie.

Generally th' feller who can talk th' nicest about th' "beautiful snow" can kick th' hardest when he wakes up on a mornin' an' finds a liberal deposit of it on his sidewalk waitin' t' be swept off. Just think how you'd have enjoyed a day or two like this ... for tomorrow.

Ohio—Fair and continued cold tonight and Sunday. Snow along the lakes.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

INVENTION TO REVOLUTIONIZE THE WORLD

Cleveland, O., Feb. 14. An invention which promises to revolutionize the industrial and mechanical world was announced here today by A. C. Rutzen, who says he perfected a spring motor that will generate horse power in abundant quantities for any purpose. A miniature model has been working several months generating electricity for 20 ordinary light bulbs.

Rutzen has worked 20 years to perfect the machine. He says he has an offer of $100,000 for it. The invention is akin to perpetual motion. Sixteen springs are part of the mechanism, fifteen giving forth power while one is continually being rewound.

Some people would rather lose a friend than an argument. A good cook hardly ever gets hers through a correspondence school.

This is an unimportant day to anyone but the postman. If this is your birthday some small annoyances threaten. But these can be overcome.

COLUMBIA

TONIGHT
THE PALEFACE BRAVE
A two reel special Indian Picture

MONDAY
A Selig Drama
The Old & The New
"A LUCKY ELOPEMENT"
Vitagraph Drama

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
THE BATTLE OF SHILO
A four reel special picture from the exclusive service of the General Film Co. reproducing that most important battle of the Civil War.
FOUR REELS FOR 10c

Colored Women Join "Mothers" Movement

One of the most satisfactory meetings of mothers held Friday afternoon was that of the mothers of the Eleventh street building, the colored school, who reorganized the Mothers' club of that school before adjournment was taken. About twenty mothers were present and they became quite enthusiastic for the movement for better conditions.

Mrs. William Bridges, a member of the executive board of the Lower Fourth Street Mothers' club, was present at the meeting and delivered a short address. She confined her remarks chiefly to the proposition of the bond issue, which she explained to the mothers had to be ratified before any remedial action could be taken. The mothers pledged themselves to work untiringly among the voters in that section of the city to mold sentiment in favor of the bond issue when the time came for the election.

Those who were present were opposed to adjourning before the Mothers' club, which had been allowed to slowly go out of existence some months ago, was reorganized. A complete organization was effected by the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. Nettie Dill; vice-president, Mrs. Narcissus Jones; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Georgia Walton; executive board, Mrs. John Evans, Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. George White.

Splendid meetings were also reported at the Offnere street building, the Highland building, the Union street building and the Lawson building. One particular feature of the meetings held yesterday, as noted by several of the prominent leaders in the movement, was that poor attendance was reported in every building where the school children were surrounded with almost ideal conditions from a sanitary standpoint. Their efforts will now be directed to interesting these mothers to assume the burden of the needs of children less fortunate than their own.

"TOUGH LUCK" FOR THE KIDS

An unique complaint received at police headquarters was that of Jacob Hobstetter, of 1241 Hutchins street, who reported that a gang of young boys were shoveling snow on the sidewalk in front of his home after it had been cleaned off. It seems that having the sidewalk cleaned off interfered with the pleasure of the youngsters in coasting down the hill, it being the only side walk on the square that wasn't in fine condition for coasting. An officer was sent to investigate the complaint.

ALLEGES HER HUSBAND TRIED TO SHOOT HER

The case of Emma Henry against Frank Henry, a suit in divorce, was heard in common pleas court Saturday afternoon. These are well known people of Duck Run, and the petition of plaintiff contains almost everything that could be thought of. It is alleged that he was of a very jealous disposition. The case was fought hard, Attorneys Blair and Ball for the plaintiff and Judge Dever and Frank W. Moulton for the defendant.

When the couple were first married they lived in the city, and soon after they were married they began having trouble, and the defendant by way of cross petition, alleges that his wife has been intimate with other men.

Mrs. Henry stated that her husband leveled a loaded gun at her and as she pushed it aside the gun was discharged, the ball entering the wall. He struck and beat and otherwise abused her in a shameful manner. Told her he was not the father of her children and he left them without food or clothing. He accused her of being intimate with Everett Long.

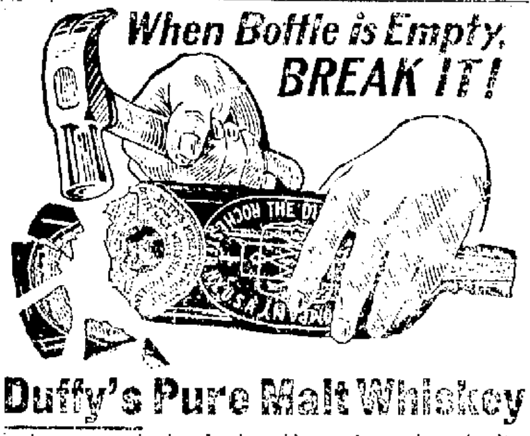
Everett Long was called. He said he had frequently been about their house but there had never been any intimate relations between Mrs. Henry and himself.

A large number of witnesses were called showing the good reputation of both Mr. and Mrs. Henry and the plaintiff rested.

Admit Three New Members

Three candidates, Edward Evans, Oliver Cassidy and Jesse Cooper were admitted into the Woodmen of the World at the regular weekly meeting of River City Camp, Friday evening. Owing to the disagreeable weather, the attendance was small and other than initiation of candidates, only routine lodge business was transacted.

[illegible] Mound street, [illegible] a few days ago [illegible] Hempstead [illegible] fine.



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Be sure and get the genuine—if in doubt examine your purchase—see that the seal over the cork is unbroken; the cork should be new and perfect—the name, "Duffy's Malt," is on each side of the cork. Look for the trade mark on the label and firm name and monogram blown in bottle. Break the bottle when empty and help us to prevent fraud.

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The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

OBITUARY

Edward Goodpaster

In a courageous fight against death, which extended over a period of five long years death was eventually the victor when it claimed Edward Goodpaster, who passed peacefully away Saturday morning at 5 o'clock at the family residence, Twelfth and North Waller streets. At 4:30 o'clock J. H. Goodpaster, father of the dead man, stepped into his son's room. He found him resting comfortably. When he returned thirty minutes later Mr. Goodpaster found his son in the embrace of death. The final summons had come and Ed had lost out in the great battle he had waged against the Grim Reaper. Quite a while ago Ed realized that he was fighting a losing game, but he always bore up bravely and he never lost his confidence until Wednesday when he finally admitted that he was fast losing his strength and had but a few hours to live. When resignation came he virtually slept away.

Mr. Goodpaster was 33 years old on October 10, 1913. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodpaster. He leaves two half brothers, Joseph Ravenscraft of Maysville, and John Ravenscraft of Cynthiana, Ky.

Prior to his illness Mr. Goodpaster was a hustling young business man. He was known and respected by everybody. He was always honest in all his dealings and was imbued with money-making instincts. He never affiliated with any fraternal organizations.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon from the home, on North Waller street, and interment will be made in Greenlawn cemetery.

Thompson L. Keever

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Keever left Saturday for Marion, O., being called there by the death of Mr. Keever's father, Thompson L. Keever, who dropped dead Friday evening of heart failure. Mr. Keever was in his 71th year. Mr. Keever is survived by his mother, Mrs. S. Keever, who will soon celebrate her 100th birthday anniversary. Mr. Keever had been in poor health for some time.

Mrs. Lona Sites

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Miller, Mr. William Miller and Miss Mayme Miller, will go to Ironton Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. Lona Sites, who died at Corryville, Thursday.

Michael Stanton Funeral

Under the escort of two members of the Elks and K. of C. lodges of Santa Fe, New Mexico, the casket containing the body of the late Michael Stanton arrived in Portsmouth over the C. & H. railroad about midnight Friday night. The funeral party was met at the station in South Portsmouth by a committee of young men from the Portsmouth K. of C. lodge, who acted as its escort across the river and to the old Stanton homestead, now the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward, [illegible] will remain until [illegible] funeral.

Funeral services will be held at the Holy Redeemer church Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock, when requiem high mass for the deceased will be said by Father [illegible]. Interment will be in [illegible] cemetery [illegible].

Herold Nichols

[illegible]

Mrs. B. F. Brunell

[illegible]

[illegible]

SOCIAL NEWS

Kearns Watkins' home on East Fourth street, was the scene of an enjoyable meeting of the Boys' Club last evening when Dee York, Harold Clayton, Robert Gilbert, Paul Williams, Gordon Bothwell, Dorothy Varner, Hazel Eckhart, Edna Hauck, Julia Alger, Katherine Appel, Irene McGregor were the young people, who participated in games and dancing after which refreshments were served. Henry Wall and Carl Fisher were the only absent members.

Miss Anna Putzek entertained the members of Mrs. Severs' class of the German Evangelical Sunday school last evening at her home on Eleventh street where games and music were indulged in. At the business session Miss Grace Barney was elected treasurer. In serving a dainty luncheon the hostess was assisted by her sister, Miss Bertha Putzek and Miss Laura Etterling. Others present were Misses Clara Marshall, Grace Barney, Norma Multer, Freda Hensge, Elsie Diener.

The New Century Club held a large meeting yesterday in spite of the bad weather. An interesting program of music and readings was rendered as follows:

Selections—Lucindi Lammermoor, Donizetti—Miss Blake's Violin Choir.

Vocal Solo—"Ebb and Flow"—King—Mrs. Roy Lynn, Mrs. P. E. Selby and Mrs. Charles Storck.

Violin Solo—"Rococo, Drdla"—Mrs. Albert L. Wilhelm.

Reading—"Dot Ole Fiddle"—Mrs. Lena Kline Reed.

Violins and Piano—(a) Serenade, Bornschein, (b) Air de Ballet by Chaminade—Czerninski Trio,—Miss Blake, Mrs. Wilhelm and Mrs. Kah.

Reading—"HerViolin"—Mrs. Reed.

Selection—Characteristic, Morceau, by Rolfe—Violin Choir.

The rooms were beautifully decorated in hearts and valentines by the social committee, Mrs. Keyes and Mrs. Roy Wykoff who also served orange ice cream and heart shaped cakes served on plates with red heart doilies.

The Second street Whist Club will be entertained next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Kendall, on Second street.

Charles Cameron, little son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cameron, who has been ill with fever, is improving.

The new musical director at the Y. W. C. A., Miss Virginia Crisenberry, will begin her classes Monday night in the gymnasium. There are a few more lessons in this term after which a new term will be started. The regular supper will be held Monday evening at six o'clock followed by the Bible class and the Glee Club with Miss Scarff as instructor. The regular Sunday "At Home" will be held [illegible] when Miss Henninge will tell the story and other chapters of the interesting book, "Pollyanna" [illegible]. Refreshments will be served.

This evening [illegible] the Freshman and Sophomore classes will entertain with a valentine party.

Miss Leonora Allard leaves next Thursday for an extended visit with former college friends Miss Harriet Hill, daughter of Judge Hill, at Hattiesburg, Miss., and together they will go to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras. She will visit in Gulfport, Miss., and Mobile, Ala., and will go to Yazoo City, Miss., to visit Miss Edith Mauch, a former college chum at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston.

All members of the Ladies Musicale, who are willing to take part in the operetta to be given in the near future are invited to meet next Monday afternoon at half after two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Storck, on Ninth street.

Miss Ruth Baker was hostess at a valentine party last evening at her home on Oakland avenue, where hearts and valentines were used in the decorations. In a contest the favors, books, were won by Lester Nutter and Feurt Crawford. Refreshments followed the games. Those present were Misses Dorothy Wright, Helen McCoy, Florence Riley, Genera Huddleson, Mabel Weiser, Messrs Feurt Crawford, Lester Nutter, James Breece, George Thomas, Vance Morris.

The Wild Cat Card Club was entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moulton. In spite of the hard snow storm every member was present, Messrs and Mesdames R. J. Kyle, G. H. Williamson, Guy Thompson, W. R. Sprague, Frank Adams, Charles D. Scudder, R. O. LeBaron. Refreshments were served at the card tables. The next place of meeting was not decided.

Miss Carey Reese of Russell, Ky., is a guest at the home of Mrs. Ella Vallance, 1412 Ninth street.

Thomas Rogers, the Ninth street merchant, left Saturday for Hales Creek where he has two daughters, Mrs. Lee Beatty and Mrs. Ri Massie.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Campbell at 1661 Grant street, was the scene of a merry surprise party Friday evening, given by Mr. Campbell in honor of his wife's birthday anniversary. During the evening a dainty two-course lunch was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krauser, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Easterday, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Saunders, Mrs. William Duvendeck, Ray Duvendeck and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Campbell.

Little Miss Maude Wilson entertained the members of Miss Cora Swabby's class of girls of Trinity Methodist Sunday school with a valentine party this afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilson on Highland avenue. The rooms were profusely decorated with hearts, valentines and cupids in keeping with Saint Valentine's Day. There were twenty-one little girls present. After the games refreshments of pink and white ice cream and heart shaped cakes were served.

Mrs. Harry Donnolly and Mrs. W. S. Ferguson delightfully entertained their classes of All Saints' Sunday school this afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson is expected home tonight from a visit with relatives in Anamda.

A number of friends and relatives of Tom Harrigan, 137 Front street, surprised him Thursday evening by coming around to celebrate his 24th birthday anniversary. They were prepared for a good time and they surely enjoyed it. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawson and family, Mrs. Theodore Brahan and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Scheffer and family. Mr. Harrigan is a shoeworker at the Excelsior factory.

The home of Miss Leona Kemp of [illegible] Eleventh street, was the scene of a merry Valentine party Friday evening. The house was decorated beautifully with hearts and cupids. Games and music helped pass away the evening. Those present were Jennie Dodge, Muriel Geidel, Verna Spencer, Beulah Ashley, Irene Kidd, Emma Harmer, Selma Cunningham, Leona Kemp and Messrs. Delmar Gelser, Powell Bailey, Reiland Marlon, Orville McCall, Harold Flood, Ted Jackson, Edward Toomey, Marvel Slater, Howard Wesson, Roy Dodge and Andrew Young. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes.

William Bolles is ill at his home on Fourth street, suffering with a bilious attack.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of 2105 Robinson avenue was the scene of a beautiful valentine party, Thursday evening. Those present were Misses Bertha Addis, Artie Mussie, Mintie Farley, Carrie Turner, Lessie and Eva Townsend, Edna and Eva Arthur, Gladis Jenkins, Mollie and Ida Barnhart, Miss Josephine, Elizabeth Lewis, and Edna May Miller; Mrs. King, Mrs. Arthur, Mrs. Marting and Mrs. Thompson; Messrs Clarence Stanley, Edward Kamouse, David Sprouse, Ernest King, Willard Thompson, Elmer and Billy Smith, John Farley, Leonard Bell, Charles Knickbocker and Lewis Miller. The evening was spent in playing games and music, after which they were called to the dining room and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and they were matched together with questions and answers which were found in their napkins, after which they returned to the parlor and played their farewell game at a late hour and returned to their homes.

The Alhambra Club was entertained with a Kensington and Valentine party last evening at the home of Miss Lida Taylor, on Offnere street. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. After an hour spent in sewing, the guests were served with dainty sandwiches, pickles and coffee. Piano music was furnished by Misses Clara Scott and Madeline Taylor and a valentine box was opened to the enjoyment of all. The guests were Misses Lena and Tillie Weghauft, Katie Gomperiela, Clara Scott, Nell Stewart and Ada Rice. Next weeks meeting will be held at the home of Miss Lena Weghauft at 2201 Grant street.

The Elks formal dance, one of the brilliant events of this week, was held last evening in their pretty rooms on Second street. Messrs William Tremper, Isadore Goodman and Evan Williams were the committee in charge. The rooms were exquisite in their decorations of purple and white valentines and hearts adding much to the beauty of the rooms. A moving picture spot light threw all colors on the dancers making a beautiful picture to look upon, with entrancing music by the Gusto Trio and the handsome gowns worn by the women. Fruit punch was served during the evening and at the midnight hour supper was served by Caterer Pfau. The guest list included the following:

Messrs and Mesdames R. D. York, Alan Jordan, Harry Revare, Paul Esselborn, J. W. Bennon, Jr., Earl Cookes, Misses Katherine Dawson, Jean Brushart, Martha McGhee, Sadie Kricker, Grace Skelton, Pauline Wilhelm, Lena Hauck, Lucile Harsha, Page Lewis, Julia Drugan, Ruth Thompson, Mary Anderson, Maude Matthews, of Columbus, Marie Gresham, of Benoit, Miss., Louise Scudder, of East Orange, N. J., Mrs. Jessamine Church, Messrs Richard Tremper, William Tremper, Howard Harsha, Evan Williams, Ed Thompson, S. P. Foster, Lester Howard, Anslem Skelton, Ernest Kelley, Sherrard [illegible], Stanley McCall, [illegible] Davis, Ralph Lezier, [illegible] Davidson, [illegible] Gilliam, [illegible] Goodman and Francis McDonald.

The home of Mrs. Walter Applegate, on East Third street was the scene of an enjoyable meeting of the Kensington Club when a valentine party was the special feature. There were valentines and hearts every place. The evening was spent in sewing after which refreshments of heart shaped ice cream and cake was served by the hostess assisted by her sister, Mrs. Charles Zoellner. The meetings will be held every two weeks on Friday evenings. Those present were Misses Mary Miller, Mae Keller, Margaret Keller, Clara Schaefer, [illegible], Jean Henry, [illegible] Dewell, Mrs. W. R. Hughes. The only member absent was Miss [illegible] Yost who is visiting [illegible] in Hampton, N. J. The dining room was specially attractive with scarlet hearts festooned from the chandelier. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Miss Mary Miller.

One of the most highly enjoyed social events of the winter was the Valentine Kensington given to the members of the B. Z. & C. club at the hospitable home of Mrs. Silas S. Magnet, on John street, Friday afternoon, from two until five-thirty o'clock.

The Magnet home was attuned to the joys of the occasion, being artistically decorated in red and green. The place favors were red colored hearts. The charming hostess served an elegant four course luncheon, which for excellence could not have been surpassed at any season of the year. All present had a most delightful time, and the afternoon whiled away entirely too rapidly, indicative that the entertainment furnished by the hostess was of a most delightful nature. Those present were Mrs. B. A. Ludwick, Mrs. Edward Campbell, Mrs. Hal Molster, Miss Jess Evans, Mrs. Crayton Norman, Mrs. Lou Schloss, Mrs. Walter Bierley and Mrs. F. W. Sheridan. Mrs. Molster, Mrs. Schloss and Miss Evans were the guests of honor at this delightful affair.

Mrs. Harry Simpson, of East Seventh street, entertained the members of the J. E. Club, and a few friends at her home Friday evening. The event was in honor of her husband's 29th birthday and was a complete surprise to him. He was especially delighted at the reception of twenty-nine beautiful carnations from members of the club. Miss Ollie Smith furnished the music. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larcamp, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Grim, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Knost, Thos Fisher, Miss Edith Hunt and Mrs. Simpson, mother of Harry. Just before the homegoing a dainty buffet lunch was served.

Miss Marie Gresham, of Benoit, Miss., the charming young guest of Mrs. James Patterson, entertained a few friends with a sewing party this afternoon. At the end of the delightful afternoon dainty refreshments were served. The guest list included Misses Amaryllis Crawford, Pauline Wilhelm, Mary Anderson, Marjorie Pursell, Lena Hauck, Mary Davidson, Edith Hudson, Margaret Martin, of Cincinnati, Martha McGhee, Helen Kardin, Mary Beck, Teresa Kennedy and guest, Jeannette Loran, of Columbus.

Mrs. Frank Matthews was hostess at the Thursday Kensington at her home on West Seventh street. Art needlework preceded refreshments. Those present were Mesdames B. H. Hopkins, Etta Matthews, Lucien Locke, Joseph Lake, John Woods, Ben Reizel and Edward Reizel. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Corney Wells on Grandview avenue.

District One of the Second Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society held their last meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Riley on Oakland avenue, where the year's business completed. The different districts will all go back into General Aid Society and the meetings hereafter will be held at the church on the first T[illegible] of each month.

The Junior Class Valentine was held at the home of John [illegible] last evening. The decorations, valentines and hearts and [illegible] were also appropriate to St. Valentines day. In a guessing [illegible] Roger Jones won the prize, [illegible] chocolates. There were for[illegible] present who enjoyed the ev[illegible] pleasures. Refreshments [illegible] cream, cake, punch and [illegible] served.

Mrs. J. A. Ward, daughter [illegible] and son, F. S. Ward, of [illegible] were called here by the [illegible] ness of J. J. Ward at [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cam[illegible] Eighteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Higgins came home last night from [illegible] tended visit in Martinsville, [illegible] where they have enjoyed [illegible] stay until the last few days [illegible] Mrs. Higgins was taken [illegible] bronchitis and acute indigestion. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Higgins will remain here for a few days [illegible]

Samuel Horenow, the [illegible] street furniture man, was [illegible] seven years old on Friday [illegible] 13th. He claims to be the youngest man of his age in the city.

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Bond Issue To Relieve Conditions, Will Be Voted On

Mothers And School Board In Harmony

Twenty mothers, representing every school building in the city, braved the dangers of pneumonia, chills, and other ills, to attend the meeting of the board of education Friday evening and demonstrate by their presence there that they felt concern for the welfare of the children attending school in the city.

The number of mothers would have been considerably larger had it not been for the unfavorable weather conditions, which caused several of them to abandon their plans for accompanying the delegation to the board meeting. However, the delegation was a most representative one, including as it did, mothers from every section of the city.

The women were most cordially received by the board, but owing to the presence of a bare quorum, it was deemed wise not to take final action on the matter of the proposed bond issue. The importance of the matter was of such magnitude that the members decided that it should be acted upon by the entire board.

This would occasion no fatal delay, as work on the proposed improvements could not be started before the summer season, and enough time will be left to carry out all the preliminary details after the next meeting, when it is hoped to have a full board present.

All In Favor Of Bond Issue

However, the three members present, Messrs. Scudder, Jackson and Kourse, went on record as favoring the bond issue, while Senator J. I. Hudson, another member, detained in Columbus on official business, telephoned the board while it was in session that he also favored it, and would approve any action the board might take in his absence. J. P. Purdum, the fifth member, was unable to attend the meeting on account of illness, but he is also known to be in accord with the proposition.

Mrs. William H. Schwartz, a member of the executive board of the Lower Fourth street Mothers' Club, acted as spokesman for the delegation of mothers. She stated the object of the visit, which was to encourage the board to order the special election on the bond issue proposition, and to assure the members of the heartiest support of the mothers in bringing the bond issue to a successful conclusion.

Mothers Are Not Hostile

Mrs. Schwartz assured the board that all reports to the effect that the mothers of the city were hostile to the board, were unfounded, although she admitted that the enthusiasm of some of the most militant of their number might have led a portion of the public to entertain that opinion. It was her purpose as spokesman of the delegation to disabuse the minds of the board of this belief and to assure them that the mothers stood ready to help and assist them in any manner that the board might direct.

Mrs. Schwartz also spoke of the mothers' meetings held in the different buildings of the city Friday afternoon, and added that each speaker made an especial effort to rid the minds of those present that the mothers were engaged in a controversy with the board. She declared that the meetings, while not attended in some quarters of the city, as large as had been hoped, nevertheless, had brought much encouragement to the mothers who were promoting the idea.

Dr. Jackson Tells How Board Feels

Dr. E. C. Jackson made a short reply to the mothers, in which he declared that the board had had in mind for three years the very thing that the mothers were advocating at this time. He explained that the bond issue would have been put up to the voters last spring had it not been for the fact that the city was visited by a destructive flood, which left the people in no frame of mind to vote additional burdens upon themselves.

Dr. Jackson said that he regretted the fact that some of the mothers had allowed their enthusiasm to run riot with their better judgment to the extent that certain misrepresentations had been made concerning conditions at the Lower Fourth street building but now that the board and the mothers had arrived at a harmonious relation with each other, he thought much good could be accomplished, and he wanted to go on record as being in favor of going ahead with the bond issue.

Mrs. Kline Stands Pat

Mrs. Flint Kline, in a brief talk to the board, stated that she was the author of the statement that the wash basins at Lower Fourth street building were absolutely impossible, from a sanitary standpoint, and that, while the statement was made without any feeling of hostility to the board, she had no desire to retract the statement, her personal investigation having convinced her that it was true.

Mrs. Schirrmann Tells Of Conditions

Mrs. H. A. Schirrmann, who addressed the mothers' meeting at the Highland building, Friday afternoon, stated to the board that the mothers there were pleased with conditions at that building from a sanitary standpoint, but that they deplored the congested condition of the rooms in the building, made necessary by lack of sufficient room to house the school children of the city. She offered this as an additional reason why the bond issue should find favor with the voters of the city.

Prof. Appel Tells of Crowding

For the benefit of the mothers present, Superintendent Frank Appel delivered an exhaustive review of conditions in the city with respect to the housing of the school children, and demonstrated most forcibly the need of more room. At the outset, he stated that he did not believe that he could assign the pupils of the city to their respective buildings after next fall under the present conditions.

From Supt. Appel's remarks, based on figures taken from a school census taken Friday, it was plainly evident that the residents in the eastern and northeastern part of the city were the main sufferers, a number of children in those sections of the city being compelled to walk much further to school than they should. In some instances, children were forced to cross dangerous railroad crossings to get to their buildings, but this could not be avoided under the present arrangement.

His figures showed that there are 1075 pupils in Portsmouth who do not go to school at the nearest school building, owing to conditions over which he has no control. Many of them are forced to go many squares out of their way.

New School Building Is A Necessity

A new school building in the East End, containing sixteen rooms, is the solution of the problem, according to Supt. Appel, and the fulfillment of this idea will relieve the congested condition of the school buildings all over the city. Supt. Appel has devoted much time and study to the present problems confronting the management of the schools, and his remarks were listened to with the closest attention.

As for outside closets, Supt. Appel stated that an apology was always need for them as they had no place in modern school arrangements. He was opposed to them, and so was the board of education, and correction of this evil would be made at the earliest possible date. However, for the satisfaction of the mothers, and also for himself, he had ordered inspections made of every outside closet in the school district, and all of those in use were found to be absolutely safe.

President Scudder and Mr. Kourse, in spite of the fact that the mothers had not asked their heartiest support and approval, and that they could be counted upon to favor the bond issue at any time, they felt, when it is hoped to have the entire board present.

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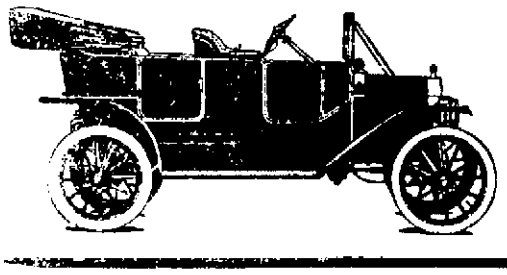

Sunday Services

SERMONS AND SERVICES AT THE VARIOUS CHURCHES

TRINITY METHODIST
Dr. Herbert Scott, Pastor

Sunday school, 9 a. m., Mr. W. B. Anderson, Supt. Morning worship at 10:30; subject, "A Timely Life." Junior League, 2 p. m. Epworth League, 6 p. m. Evening worship 7; subject, "Walls Blockades." This will be an evangelistic service. The Pilgrim Singers will furnish music both morning and evening. A cordial welcome. A home-like church.

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH
Alfred F. Hughes, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 o'clock, Dr. E. C. Jackson, Supt. New members are expected to be present. Morning worship at 10:30. Theme for sermon, "An Open Door." This will be a sermon especially for the officials and members of the church, in view of the coming revival campaign.

Junior League at 2 o'clock. Epworth League and class meeting at 6 o'clock. Evening sermon at 7 o'clock, theme, "Smith and Smith." Text, "The Case of Smith." Good music and a cordial welcome to all at Bigelow church of the people.

At 2 o'clock sunday school will be held at Wesley Park, 522 Second street, followed by a temperance address by D. A. Talbert at 3 o'clock. The Pilgrim Workers of the Trinity Men's Bible class will meet at this place. The theme of the address will be, "The School of the Mission." All who desire to attend this service are welcome.

MANLY M. E. CHURCH
Corner Eleventh and Clay
Rev. L. I. Hart, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:30, Philip Pfarr, Supt. The orchestra organized to assist in the Sunday school music will play for first time Sunday. Be sure to hear it. At the morning service, at 10:30, the pastor will preach a sermon, subject, "The Prize Race Christian." At the evening service at 7 the subject will be, "We Hold Believed Long Regret." Junior League at 1:30, Epworth League at 6. Lily Brown, organist, Special music.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH
Fourth and Washington St.
Rev. Albert L. Marting, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning sermon at 10 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. W. Hott will be in charge of this service. Farmers service at 3. Rev. Gobin of the Y. M. C. A. will preach at this service.

We invite all to these good services. Let everybody worship. Let everybody help. Let everybody be a member of our Sunday school as we will embark on a trip to the Holy Land on this day two weeks from now. Come and see Professor Louchran, one of the other lots will take the stereopticon. All welcome and particularly you who are promised to be with us.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Court and Third Streets
John Will Dunning, Minister

All worship service at 9 and 10:30 a. m. Bible school promptly at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship and sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Jesus Christ Is Lord." Anthem, "Hallelujah, Amen." Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Lessons From the Life of Lincoln." Anthem, "Lead Kindly Light." Special music by the choir. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Bible study class Friday evening at 7:30. Boy Scouts Friday evening at 7:30. Troop 1 meets Monday evening at 7:30. Troop 2 meets Tuesday evening at 7:30. Troop 3 meets Wednesday evening at 7:30. Troop 4 meets Thursday evening at 7:30. Troop 5 meets Friday evening at 7:30. Troop 6 meets Saturday morning at 10:30. Troop 7 meets Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Troop 8 meets Saturday afternoon at 3:30. Troop 9 meets Saturday afternoon at 4:30. Troop 10 meets Saturday afternoon at 5:30. Troop 11 meets Saturday afternoon at 6:30. Troop 12 meets Saturday afternoon at 7:30. Troop 13 meets Saturday afternoon at 8:30. 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Coal Thief Soaked.

For stealing coal from Charles Taylor & Sons of Fullerton, Fred Glenn, a resident of that village, was found guilty in Squire Jas. Braden's court Saturday morning. Glenn was given a 30 days jail sentence for picking up the black diamonds.

At Terminals Schools.

Members of the executive board of the Lower Fourth street school will go in a body to the Terminal school building, where they will meet with a delegation of mothers from that school district. The object of the meeting is to explain to the mothers the bond issue proposition.

Woman Asks Aid.

Mrs. Peter Long, 18-year-old wife of a Vera, North Carolina shoeworker, reported to the mayor, Saturday afternoon that she was stranded in Portsmouth without funds and without a position. She has been working at a local shoe factory but lost her position there.

Walter Rohe and Charles R. Warmek, manual training teachers in the Portsmouth public schools, went to Columbus Saturday where they attended the Manual Training Teachers' association which met in the Capital City Saturday.

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

E. W. PFEIFFER HAS RETIRED, WILL FARM

An important trade change was made public Saturday, when it became known that the business of E. W. Pfeiffer, contractor and builder, had been taken over by a partnership, of which James Pfeiffer and W. F. Carson are the members.

Mr. Pfeiffer, who proposes to engage in farming, though his plans are not fully matured, retires from the building business in the height of a splendid reputation both for integrity and efficiency. He carried into his work a high standard of honesty and service and he on a job was a guarantee it would be well done.

His successors have long been his foremen, they are both skilled workmen with knowledge and experience in their craft and it will be their effort to maintain for themselves the excellent standard set by their old boss. They will have their shop at 517 Glover and their phone X-1122.

[illegible], who is connected with the State Highway Commissioner J. F. Marker's office in C[illegible] and is was in Portsmouth Friday and Saturday and went over the pieces of the Chillicothe pike and the Gallia pike that are to be paved this summer. He was accompanied by Surveyor Harold Wendleken, who will have charge of the work. Mr. Scheidler announced that work on the additional mile of paving on the Chillicothe pike won't begin [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible], of Vinton [illegible] [illegible] accident Friday [illegible]. She had gathered up her sewing with the intention of spending an hour or so at the home of her next door neighbor. As she passed through an opening in the fence between the houses her foot slipped and she fell. As she struck the ground the point of one of the long [illegible] [illegible]. Dr. Smith was summoned immediately and dressed the wound, which is a very [illegible] [illegible] dangerous [illegible].

Glen de Bruin Sings

Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church, Glen de Bruin will sing. It is always a pleasure to hear him.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Feb. 14—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 77.
American Beet Sugar, 24½-B.
American Sugar Refining, 107.
Baltimore & Ohio, 92¾.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 61⅞.
Illinois Central, 111¼-B.
Louisville & Nashville, 136½-B.
New York Central, 90.
Norfolk & Western, 101⅜.
Pennsylvania, 112⅝.
United States Steel, 66¾.
United States Steel, Preferred, 110⅞.
Western Union, 64¼.

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14—Wheat: May, 93⅝; July, 88⅜ and ⅞ to 88⅞.

Corn—May, 65⅞ to 65⅝ and ¾; July, 61⅞.

Oats: May, 39⅝ and ½ to 39⅝; July, [illegible].

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Wheat: May, 93⅝ and ¾; July, 88¾ and ⅞.

Corn, May, 66⅝; July, 61⅞ and ⅞; Sept., 64¼ and ⅜.

Oats: May, 39⅝; July, 39¼.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14—Hogs: receipts, 9,000; market, steady; light yorkers, $8.30 to $8.60; heavy yorkers, $8.25 to $8.65; pigs, $7.50 to $8.15.

Cattle: receipts, [illegible]; market, steady; beeves, $7 to $9.50; Texas steers, $6.80 to $8.00; stockers and feeders, $5.70 to $8.00; cows and heifers, $3.60 to $8.50; calves, $7.50 to $10.25.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 2,500; market, weak; sheep, natives, $4.75 to $9.90; lambs, natives, $6.80 to $7.85.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 14—Hogs: receipts, 2900; heavy yorkers, $9.10 to $9.15; light yorkers, $9.10 to $9.15; pigs, $9.10 to $9.15.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,[illegible]; top sheep, $6.25; top lambs, $8.10.

Calves: receipts, 100; top, $12.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, only a few members of [illegible] Post G. A. R. attended the [illegible] [illegible] G. A. R. hall on [illegible]. Those who did attend were well rewarded for their [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] social session [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] all parts of Scioto county gathered at the [illegible] Saturday [illegible] civil service examination [illegible]. The examination was [illegible] under the supervision [illegible] [illegible]. Within the [illegible] fourth class postmasters will [illegible] the following [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

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Heir To Millions

Henry Simons, of 1818 Robinson avenue, has received legal documents from Berlin, Germany, recognizing him as one of the heirs of his uncle, Fred Simons, who left Louisville, Ky., for Germany in 1868. He died in 1879, leaving a wife and no children. The wife has a life interest in the estate, valued at over six million dollars. In case of her death Henry Simons would be more than a millionaire.

SOCIAL NEWS

Miss Ruby Cryer entertained her Sunday School class with a Valentine party at her home at 1321 Con[illegible]ter street Friday evening. The house was decorated with hearts and Dan Cupids. During the evening refreshments were served. Piano and violin music helped pass away the evening. Those present were: Mildred Neff, Elizabeth Cropper, Ruth Mooney, Anabelle White, V[illegible]ona Sarver, Maria Bertram, Grace Andrews, Gladys Bernhold, Georgia Clohar, Elizabeth Doitz, Catherine [illegible], [illegible], Myrtle Boyd and Laura Warden.

Mrs. John V. Grimes has issued invitations to a Bridge Tea Monday afternoon, February 23rd at her home on East Second street for the pleasure of her sister, Mrs. W. [illegible] Kenosky, of Chicago.

Miss Alice Bode's violin class will meet at her home, for practice Monday afternoon.

Miss Frances Higgins, Sarah Mc[illegible], Afee Mame Baird and Miss Vera [illegible] of Ironton, went to Cincinnati to see Elsie Janis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dragan have returned from Cincinnati where they spent several days with their son, Thomas J. Dragan.

Friends have received post cards from Mr. and Mrs. William Sellards, who were in Lexington, Ky., yesterday.

Born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, of Jackson street, a daughter.

Richard Zoellner, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zoellner, is detained at home by illness.

Lucien Doty will arrive home tonight from a business trip to Buffalo, N. Y.

Have a Fine Son

A fine 11-pound boy was born Friday night to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carr, of Thirteenth street.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W[illegible] of 1242 Kinney's lane, are rejoicing over the arrival of a [illegible] baby daughter born to them Friday night. The [illegible] the interesting family [illegible] and four boys. The proud father is a railroad engineer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyer of 209 Bond street, are the parents of a little daughter who arrived at their home Friday afternoon. Mr. Dyer is the N. & W. car inspector of the Cincinnati and Columbus divisions of this road.

A son was born Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of [illegible] street. Mr. [illegible] is employed by the N. & W. [illegible] in East Portsmouth.

The stork [illegible] [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] street [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Company.

Mary [illegible] [illegible] Friday [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] street. [illegible].

HAMMER AND PAINT

J. W. Jordan has decided to erect a handsome two story business block on his lot on Eleventh street, near [illegible] Hutchins. It will have a five room flat on the second floor. The front of the building will be finished with pressed brick. Architect Arthur DeVoss is preparing the plans.

The contract [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] will soon [illegible] the contract for the erection of a brick and concrete [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] N. & W. depot. It will be a two story structure and the plans are being drawn by Architect Arthur DeVoss.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weyand will soon [illegible] [illegible] attractive [illegible] Broadway of eight rooms. Mr. Weyand [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. The Brodbeck Manufacturing Co[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] River City and [illegible] [illegible] contract for the new home [illegible].

[illegible] W. Turner. Mr. Turner is a master mechanic in high class wood work.

WITH THE SICK

Rev. B. F. Porter, a retired minister, who resides in New Boston, was taken very ill with heart trouble Friday night and for several hours he hovered between life and death. He rallied Saturday morning and is resting a little easier. He is a veteran of the Civil War and a well known Baptist minister.

Orders Studebaker.

H. J. Glenn, well known merchant at Bloom Switch, came to the city, Saturday on business and while here placed an order with Agent Will J. Feidt for a Studebaker car No. 6. It will be delivered in two weeks.

SPECIAL TO WOMEN

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The Ladies of Maccabees will hold their annual review at their quarters in the Brady Hall, Tuesday evening, February 17. Every member is expected to be present for the state deputy, Mrs. Mira Davidson, of Chillicothe, will make an address. Business of importance is expected to come before the hive, and for this reason a full attendance of the members is desired.

Carl Denton, a clerk in [illegible] Salvage store will leave [illegible] for Pomeroy, where he will [illegible] relatives for a few days.

DR. CHASE'S Blood and Nerve Tablets

Fill the shriveled arteries with pure, rich blood, increase the weight in solid flesh and muscle that give you strength, the brain and nerves with fresh vital fluid that brings life and vigor into every part of the body. WEIGH YOURSELF BEFORE TAKING. Price 50 cents; Special Strength 75 cents. Dr. Chase Co., 224 N. 10th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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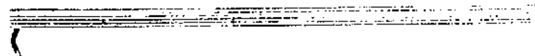

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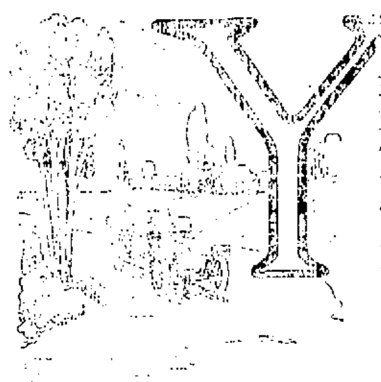

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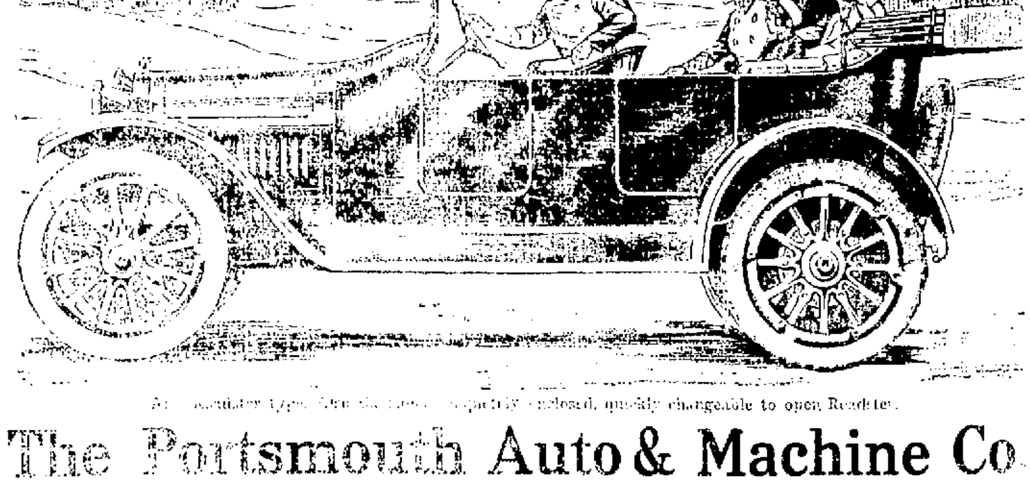

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MASONIC NOTICE
Regular meeting Solomon Council No. 79 Monday evening, Feb. 16, at 7 o'clock.
Immediately after council meeting Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 23 will meet to confer the Marked Master degree on several candidates.

WANTED

WANTED:—Girl to clerk in store. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd. Phone A 995. 11tf

WANTED:—Boarders. At 612 Gay. 9-6

WANTED: Washing and ironing to do at home. 531 5th. 12-3

WANTED: The address of Wm. Butler, who was water boy at the new Excelsior building last fall. Address Phone 446, The Times office. 12-4

WANTED:—To buy second hand furniture. Phone Y 1635. 12-3

WANTED Lady correspondent. Address L. O. 238 Ludlow, Cincinnati, O. 12-5

WANTED Two bright boys, 16 years of age for messenger service. Inside work. See Mr. Moorhead, Selby Shoe Co. 13-2

WANTED—One bright stenographer for letters and book work, male or female. Good position for right kind. Address B Box 41, City. 13-2

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WANTED—Local representative. Splendid income assured right man to act as our representative after learning our business thoroughly by mail. Former experience unnecessary. All we require is honesty, ability, ambition and willingness to learn a lucrative business. No soliciting or traveling. All or spare time only. This is an exceptional opportunity for a man in your section to get into a big paying business without capital and become independent for life. Write at once for full particulars. National Co-operative Realty Company, L 1110 Marden Bldg., Washington, D. C. 7-4sat

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WANTED Automobile and machine repairing. Hill Top Repair Shop, Oakland and Kinney's Lane. Phones A 1550 and Y 1587. Fry and May, Props. 10tf

WANTED:—20 good boys to learn moulding trade.
Girls for general house work, good wages.
Roomers and boarders.
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WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

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WANTED:—Girl for house work. 1742 7th. Three in family. 13-3

FOR PACKAGE DELIVERY call Phone 349. 11-4

WANTED:—Roomers and boarders. 1640 12th. 11-6

WANTED:—Boarders 1517 10th Mrs. Walker. 14-7

WANTED:—An elevator boy at A. Brunner & Sons, the Gallia Street Store. 14-1

FOR RENT—2 four-room houses at Terminals. Apply 1410 18th St. 14-1

WANTED: Wide awake agents are coining money with our easily demonstrated specialties. Write today for particulars and new catalogue. The Household Specialty Co., 356 E. 61st. St., Chicago, Ill. 14-1

WANTED:—Men or women can earn $10.00 to $35.00 a week taking orders for our fast selling seven bar box high grade toilet soap, big seller, 100 per cent commission; repeat orders assured, credit given. Write at once for full particulars. Crofts & Reed Co., Chicago, Dept. S 501. 14-1

STOP—LOOK—LISTEN. If you are an agent or expect to be one, send for FREE Surprise Package. 1214 Blumer Bldg., Lincoln & Roscoe, Chicago. 14-1

WANTED:—Men to learn the barber trade. Thousands have become successful shop owners by our System and send to us for barbers. Prepare now. Few weeks completes. Tools given. Wages while learning. Particulars mailed free. Write Moler Barber College, Cincinnati, O. 14-6

WANTED:—10 or 12 girls over 18, steady work and good pay. Only those living in city need apply. T. M. Patterson Co. box factory. 14-3

WANTED:—2 gentlemen boarders in private family. Nice room for right parties. 536 7th. 14tf

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Bobsled coaster, 12 feet long, extra fine finish; cheap. Phone X 1225. 14-3

FOR SALE:—Household goods at 1738 12th St. Owner leaving city. 11tf

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FOR SALE:—1913 Oakland 35 touring car, electrically lighted and started, five new tires, 6 rims, 5 tubes, newly varnished and overhauled. Will trade for real estate. The Portsmouth Auto and Machine Co. 21tf

FOR SALE:—Grocery stock and fixtures. Fine location. Good business. Phone 369. 12th and Offnere. 31tf

FOR SALE:—Small farm on Dry Run, West Side. 100 small fruit trees, house, barn and other outbuildings. Price $800. See Henry Debo, Portsmouth, O., R. F. D. No. 1. 7-7

FOR SALE:—5 room two story, bath, McConnell Ave., $3100.
5 room two story Oakland ave., bath, $3000.
5 room cottage 6th, bath, 2 cabinet mantels, street assessment paid, $2700.
6 room two story 17th, bath, large barn, $2900.
4 room cottage, 1644 12th, $2,500.
7 room two story, 728 9th, $2650.
4 room cottage, 1803 Robinson avenue, 2 rooms finished in Oak, lot 37x154, $3000.
5 room two story, 1603 7th, $1800.
4 room cottage, Summit $1950
Houses and lots in Portsmouth, New Boston, Sciotoville. Also few farms and grocery stores, centrally located. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave Phone A 1408. 12-3

FOR SALE:—2 horses, cheap, if sold at once. S. T. King, Frost, Ky. 11-6

FOR SALE—25 acre farm, six room house and outbuildings, 3 miles from Portsmouth.
117 acre farm, 9 room house 10 miles from Portsmouth.
381 acre farm, large house and two tenement houses, 17 miles from Portsmouth. Phone 281.
SHEPPARD & SMITH 13-2

FOR SALE:—Farm on Dogwood Ridge, one mile from Wheelersburg, contains 104 acres, 70 acres plow land, 30 acres permanent pasture with running water; two houses, two barns, 4 good wells; in Wheelersburg school district; on milk route and Home telephone line; would divide well into smaller farms or suitable for building sites. Terms: cash or part down secured by mortgage. For information see or address F. E. Cranston, Wheelersburg, O. 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24

FOR SALE Roll top desk, revolving chair. One 9x12 rug, 4 office chairs. Inquire room 225, Masonic Temple. 13-2

FOR SALE: One 75 h. p. side crank automatic steam engine.
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FOR SALE:—7 room house with bath on 7th St. $2700.
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6 room house with bath on 20th St., $3500.
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Good farms for sale. Also good property in all parts of the city. Phone X 1329. W. M. Ramey. 12-3

FOR SALE: Seed corn, also 2 shoats. Warren Snook, Wheelersburg, O. 12-4

FOR SALE: Fresh cow and calf. 1903 Jackson. Phone A 1167. 12-3

FOR SALE:—Property bringing a good income, centrally located in a prosperous Kentucky city, 5 cent fare from Cincinnati, Ohio. Owner going West. H. Melvin, 6th and Madison, Covington, Ky. Address care Y. M. C. A. 10-6

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage on Lincoln street for $2700. One lot on Grandview avenue for $1100. One 7 room two story on Grandview at $2575. Inquire A. Hubman. 10tf

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6 rooms and bath on 18th St. $3250.
6 rooms and large basement on 17th St., assessments paid. $3000. Phone 281.
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FOR SALE:—Second hand machinery bought and sold. Inquire of D. Labold & Company, 12th and Chillicothe Sts. 17tf

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-tf

NOTICE:—When you want prompt package delivery call Dick Bostwick, 12 Waller. Phone Y 404. 9tf

FOR SALE: 4-year-old cow in good condition. 3028 Gallia St. Phone B 834. 11-4

FOR SALE: Up to date, 7 room, two story house on Hill Top. Vacant. Inquire 1831 Robinson. Also vacant lot. John Shonkwiler. 11-4

FOR SALE—Good horse 11-4 tf Phone 3007. L. H. Gerding, Chillicothe Pike. 11-4f

FOR SALE:—Pure bred Barred Rocks and White Wyandottes. Stock and eggs. J. F. Burggraf, Rushtown, O. 11-6

FOR SALE:—Family horse and phaeton, cheap. Inquire T. C. Beatty, probate judge's office. 14-3

FOR SALE:—Hupmobile touring car, 1913 model, purchased last June. Just overhauled and in fine shape. A bargain. Call Phone No. 15 or 1104 Lawson St. 14-3

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms. 631 3rd St. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Good, large, furnished front room, on first floor, gas heat and light, only 2 squares from post office, suitable for gentleman, man and wife or two girls. Call 841 7th. 12tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, 113 Jefferson. 11tf

FOR RENT: Furnished or unfurnished room at 1216 Summit St. Phone A 1615. 11tf

FOR RENT:—Two large light rooms, Elk Bldg. Steam heat. Phone 100. 10tf

FOR RENT:—Two nicely furnished rooms for light house keeping; bath. Phone A 1287. 9tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, all modern conveniences with board if desired, 629 6th. Phone Y 463. 14-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house 625 Campbell.
4 room house, 816 Front.
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3 room house, 1212 Front.
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FOR RENT: Nicely furnished or unfurnished room at 615 Front St. 14-6

FOR RENT 2 four room houses at Terminals. Apply 1410 18th. 14-1

FOR RENT: Furnished rooms with board, 816 3rd St. 13tf

FOR RENT: Furnished rooms for light house keeping at 1118 Gallia. B 268. 14-3

FOR RENT. Modern 7 room house, $20.00 per month, Northeast corner of 6th and Offnere. Phone X 191. 801 4th. 14-1

FOR RENT. 2 rooms for light house keeping, $2.50 per week. Call 1021 11th St. 14-3

FOR RENT. 6 room house, cellar, gas, cistern. Call 1021 11th St. 14-3

FOR RENT: Furnished room with bath at 814 4th St. 14-3

FOR RENT 3 or 4 room house or 3 unfurnished rooms. Phone A 1277. 11-3

FOR RENT: 2 furnished rooms for light house keeping on first floor. Bath. 2137 8th. 12-3

FOR RENT: 103 acre improved farm. Cook Clark, Scioto ville. 10-3

FOR RENT: 4 rooms, large porch, water, gas. 841 11th. Phone B 641. 12-3

FOR RENT: Two front rooms furnished for light house keeping at 810 Findlay St., near 9th Phone X 5 8. 7tf

FOR RENT: Large furnished room with modern conveniences. 738 6th St. 7-3f

FOR RENT:—New 6 room house, gas, bath and basement. 311 Campbell Ave, $20. Inquire 1318 2nd. Phone 334. 20tf

FOR RENT: Furnished room with bath at 1116 4th St. 1tf

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished front room, bath and all modern conveniences, 611 Washington St. 10tf

FOR RENT:—7 room brick house, with all modern conveniences. 2124 8th St. Address Mrs. S. L. Smith, Quincy, Ky. 5tf

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT: Cottage, 12 Union. Apply 4 Union. 9tf

FOR RENT:—Front room down stairs. Gas, steam heat and bath, gentlemen only. 630 John. 23tf

FOR RENT:—2 rooms, one furnished, one unfurnished. 310 3rd. 12-3

FOR RENT: Furnished room with bath, 1320 Linden Ave. 31tf

FOR RENT: Four room house, with one acre ground, good outbuildings, in Stewartsville. Inquire 1306 High St., rear. 13-3

FOR RENT: 2 furnished rooms for light house keeping at 418 3rd. 11-3

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Mr. Pepper Plans 2 Stores

W. A. Pepper, proprietor of the "Pepper One to Twenty-five Cent" store, stated Friday that his lease on the first building at Gay and Gallia ... has two and one-half years to run, and that the store ... the store room now occupied ... with him and on the ...

In connection, Mr. Pepper added that he was contemplating operating two stores in Portsmouth, one at his new location in the Brushart building on Chillicothe street and the other in the present location in the Herr building. At the latter, he will make a specialty of five and ten cent goods if he carries out his present intention to operate two stores.

Mr. Pepper's plans may upset the arrangement of Fred Dawson, manager of the Great Western Tea and Grocery Company, who was figuring on moving into the room now occupied by the Pepper store.

Woodmen Meeting

Bad weather kept the attendance down at the regular weekly meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America, but it had no effect on the volume of business transacted by the lodge. Ten applications for membership were filed, and one candidate, F. N. Duff, was initiated into membership. Other routine business was transacted.

There will be an open meeting of the lodge on ... evening, March 6th, to which the auxiliary order, the Royal Neighbors, will be invited. Present on that occasion will be W. G. Womack, district deputy, and in his honor a nice ... program will be followed by refreshments.

N. A. Saunders, a general merchant of Crum, Ky., is in the city looking for a location in which to establish a store.

FOR RENT Furnished front room up stairs for light house keeping, 817 4th St., near Chillicothe. 13-3

FOR RENT: 10 acres corn ground on West Side 1912 Timmonds. Phone Y 1256. 13-3

FOR RENT: Furnished 4 room flat for two months. 1118 4th. Phone B 912. 14-3

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BUILDING UP CAPITAL

A Pennsylvania girl has won the prize that the American Society for Thrift recently offered for the best definition of Thrift. "Thrift", she wrote, "is management of your affairs in such a manner that the value of your possessions is constantly being increased."

The girl has come pretty close to hitting the nail on the head, and in simple language she has told the secret of how to create personal capital.

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Mr. Croxton Brings Arbitration Plans

Fred C. Croxton, special agent of the State Industrial Commission of Columbus, arrived in Portsmouth at noon Saturday for the purpose of submitting to the employes and manufacturers the plan of general arbitration, including the selection and operations of the various shop committees, as provided in Section 4 of the agreement which ended the recent shoe strike in this city.

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon Mr. Croxton went into conference with P. E. Turner, general organizer of the U. S. W. of A., and the members of the executive board of Local No. 80, of this city, at which conference the plan in detail was thoroughly gone over and explained. He will follow this conference with similar conferences with the manufacturers and other persons in the city interested in the general plan of arbitration. The plan provides for shop committees and arbitration of difficulties.

The plan is the work of Mr. Croxton, who is an expert on matters along that line, and who has given particular study to local conditions, having obtained the views of all concerned. It bears the stamp of approval of the State Industrial Commission.

Monday, February 16, is the day upon which the plan of arbitration of all future disputes and differences between employers and employes was to have become effective, and it is hoped to have it in active operation by that time or soon after.

Mr. Croxton, it will be remembered, was the potent factor in the amicable settlement of the late unpleasantness, and his coming here at this time is expected to be instrumental in preventing any such occurrences in the future.

Tramped On Foot

John Dunning, Jefferson street, a driver for Leichner & Jordan, commission merchants, sustained a serious and painful injury Saturday morning. One of the heavy draft horses tramped on his foot and almost entirely severed the left great toe.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ernest Sly, aged 21, a shoe worker of the city, was granted a license Saturday morning to marry Anna May Rivers, a clerk of Cincinnati. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

John Wilhelm, former clerk in the safety department, has taken a clerical position with the Portsmouth Steel company. He is located in the New Boston office of this company.

Says Boy Is Bad

Charles E. Copp, superintendent of the schools of Clay township, came into probate court Saturday morning and filed charges against Otto Noel, a 13 year old boy, charging incorrigibility, generally bad, and attempting to use a knife on another boy. An arrest and a hearing will soon follow.

New Soldiers
Jesse Adkins and Cary Walling, residents of Kentucky, came to Portsmouth Friday and enlisted in the United States regular army at the local recruiting station on Chillicothe street.

In New Yrok
Arthur H. Bannon left Friday morning for New York, being called there on an important legal errand.

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SOCIAL NEWS

A valentine social which will not soon be forgotten was one given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams on Chillicothe street. It also being Mrs. Williams birthday anniversay a number of her friends planned quite a surprise for her by giving the party in her honor. Their plans were carried out with great success. The young folks gathered at the home while Mrs. Williams was away visiting and it was quite a surprise for her when she came home and found her house full of people. The opening of a valentine box was a great feature of the evening, each one receiving a number of comic valentines which caused a great deal of laughter. It was an evening of great fun, one which will long be remembered. Chas. Howland furnished the music for the evening which was greatly enjoyed. This jolly bunch presented Mrs. Williams with many beautiful presents, which were greatly appreciated by Mrs. Williams. The honors go to Mr. Jesse Beck for laughing the most. It surely was a jolly bunch that enjoyed the evening at this home. Those who enjoyed this merry party were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Howland, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Willison, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Leichner and children, Merl and Louise, Mr. Chas Bacy, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and son, Myron. Late in the evening delicious refreshments were served and home made popcorn fritters made by Mrs. Beck were devoured in a hurry. At a late hour the happy crowd went to their home wishing Mrs. Williams many more happy birthdays.

Miss Mearl Leonard of 1802 Summit street, gave a number of her friends a most delightful evening Wednesday, when she entertained a six o'clock dinner and valentine party in honor of Miss Bell Weider of Coalton, O. The young guests enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

Miss Maud Mathews, of Columbus, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Wente and family, of Fourth street.

Miss Belle Weider, of Coalton, who has been the guest of Miss Mearl Leonard, of North Summit street, has returned home after spending a delightful week in the Peerless City.

Mrs. G. T. Leonard, of Coalton, has returned to her home after spending several days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey, of 1802 Summit street.

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly: Will you please tell me what the governor's salary is?

STUDENT.

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Dear Dolly: We are two girl chums of 17. Do you think we are too young to go to parties and stay till 11 and 12 o'clock?

[illegible]

I do not like to see girls stay up so late. They [illegible] it, but they would [illegible] in beauty and health if they [illegible] to be in bed and asleep by 10 o'clock every night [illegible].

Dear Miss Wise: I am 17. A boy of 21 has [illegible] company, but I do not care for steady company. What shall I tell him? I do not want to hurt his feelings.

POLLY.

Tell him that you think you will be better friends if you do not keep steady company.

Dear Miss Wise: Will you kindly tell what will [illegible] I have tried [illegible] can't get rid of them. Thanking you for same.

[illegible]

Borax is the best [illegible] a [illegible] around [illegible] and every place [illegible] [illegible] borax.

[illegible]

A waist that is cut square across for even a couple of inches could not be that low. Lace and net are filled in to low cut necks which show glimpses of the neck through quite low, but the perfectly bare effect of anything more than a point three inches deep is neither good taste nor good style.

Dear Miss Wise: I am 30 years old. Around my eyes and in the corners of my eyes there are numerous wrinkles. Then around my mouth and from my cheeks to my throat the flesh seems to have grown loose and sags. My skin, which was once clear and rosy, is yellow and thick, and around my eyes and at my temples there are dark spots. If you can give me a recipe for a skin food which will correct these evils I will greatly appreciate same.

MARY JANE.

One of the best skin foods that I know of is made of the following ingredients: [illegible] oil sweet almonds, [illegible] white wax, [illegible] borax, [illegible] orange flower [illegible] tincture of benzoin, 12 drops [illegible] You can get [illegible] at the drug store. Melt the [illegible] [illegible] and not a trace remains. In the morning wash with warm water and a mild soap, rinse with clear water, then dash cold water over the face, throat and chest. Now rub a tiny bit of skin food into the skin, gently, then apply a light dust of a good rice powder—get only the best powder and the kind that agrees with your skin. Eat plenty of nourishing food, drink a lot of pure milk and water, take mild exercise in the open air, breathe deep, go to bed early, with your bedroom window wide open, and get ten hours sleep for a while, if possible. Don't worry about anything, cultivate a happy disposition, and in two or three months you will see a decided improvement.

Dear Miss Wise: I met a young man the other evening at a party who seemed very nice and who seemed to like me. He didn't say anything about coming to see me, though. Now I am going to see him again next week at a friend's house. Could I ask him to call on me or must I wait for him to say something about it?

UNCERTAIN.

The rule is that the girl shall ask the man to call on her if she cares to have him. Leaving the time of the call perfectly indefinite, so that if he is not sufficiently interested to come she can simply thank her and [illegible] never make it more definite. If he does care to, it is his place to ask if she would see him at a certain time or to ask her when he could come. So say to him especially as you think that he was interested in seeing you again "Come and see me sometime." He will undoubtedly take advantage of the opportunity to set a time right then.

SOCIETY

[illegible]

a beautiful gold ring, the gift of all her children. A most enjoyable time was had. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mershon and mother, Mrs. Jennie Mershon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mershon and children, Cecil and Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. James Hurley and children, Virginia and Alda; Mr. and Mrs. John [illegible]son and children, Hazel and Ruth; Mr. Jennie Tatman, Mrs. Sarah Hemmel. All left wishing Mrs. Mershon many more happy [illegible] days.

Miss Olive Lemon, a nurse at the Hempstead hospital, is making a short visit to her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lemon of Wheelersburg.

Mrs. William McCorkle's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school, will meet in social session next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Brewer, of Eighth street.

Mr. Bruce Thomas delightfully entertained a few friends last evening with a pretty valentine party at his home on East Eighth street. Novel and interesting games were indulged in after which the young people adjourned to the beautifully decorated dining room where delicious refreshments were served by the mother and sister of the host. The lights were turned out and in the dim candle light a fortune teller told the fortunes of the merry group. Those present were Misses Gertrude Moore, Alma Gulker, Edel Zoharsel, Ruth West, Isdora White, Nancy St. [illegible] Misses [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]

William Bradley, Oscar Emmett, Frank Pape and Walter Hafner.

Miss Sadie Maule's class of Bigelow Methodist Sunday school will give an entertainment next Tuesday evening, February 17th, in A. I. U. hall, where ice cream and cake will be served. The program will be given as follows:

Music—Bigelow Band.
Vocal—Miss Searff.
Piano—Miss Margaret Quinn.
Reading—Miss Elsie Gall.
Music—Bigelow Band.
Male Quartette.
Piano—Harold Walker.
Reading—Miss Nellie Reissinger.
Music—Band.

The husbands of the members of the Arc Circle entertained their wives with a banquet last evening at the Washington hotel. One large square table was set in the ordinary. The central decoration bore the letters "A. C." done in varied colored flowers, electric lights of all colors entwined with [illegible] between the letters was a beautiful [illegible] covered with [illegible] blossoms. Red and white was the color scheme in keeping with Saint Valentine [illegible]. The covers were marked with fancy valentines with the name [illegible] Mr. W. S. Kennedy, the toastmaster, called upon Mr. Charles E. Hard [illegible] to the ladies." Mr. D. A. Bendt, president of the club, responded with a clever little speech, after which there were several other impromptu toasts. [illegible] was carried [illegible] a valentine. The [illegible] was served in eight courses. Covers were laid for Messrs and Mesdames D. A. Bendt, Charles E. Hard, Homer Heer, F. C. Goodwin, Charles Spencer, W. G. Williams, John E. Williams, Samuel Crawford, P. E. [illegible], Edgar Poffenberger, George Aspel, George Thomas, James A. Hazer, W. S. Kennedy, Mesdames James Patterson, W. S. Walker and J. L. Hatton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Denning, of Lawshe, O., are visiting Mrs. Denning's sister, Mrs. Henry Delotelle, of 1130 Front street, and Mr. Denning's nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoskins, 118 Bond street.

The Happy Go Lucky Club have issued invitations to a dance at Seel's hall, Thursday evening, February 19th at eight o'clock. Graham Bevare and Stanley Hopkins are the committee in charge.

Miss Ada Vigus' class of Bigelow Methodist church, was delightfully entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Kugelman on Sixth street with a valentine party. The rooms were prettily adorned in hearts and valentines in keeping with the valentine season. Music on the player piano and the game of hearts consisted of the evening's pleasures. Among those present were Misses Mauel and Rowena Welch, Ona and Beatrice Lindsay, Emma Johnston, Mae Foster, Ada and Kate Vigus, Mesdames Shirley Beers, Harvey Shonkwiler, Katherine Kugelman and little Miss Katherine Kugelman. At the end of the pleasures a dainty supper was served.

REQUESTED RECIPES

(By Miss Dolly Wise)

Chocolate Pie

Yolks of four eggs, two cups sugar, two cups cold water, six teaspoons of flour, four to six teaspoons chocolate, pinch salt. Stir yolks and one cup water together, add sugar, stir in flour and another cup of water and the salt. Put on stove and boil while stirring constantly. Have baked crusts and pour in your chocolate filling and cover top with well beaten whites of the eggs with a little sugar sprinkled over the top. Flavor with vanilla if desired.

Chocolate Pudding

One pint milk; let come to boiling point. Add onehalf cup sugar, two tablespoonfuls grated chocolate, one large spoon cornstarch; boil until it thickens, pour into a mold and place on ice. Serve with sweet cream and a little sugar, flavored with vanilla.

Chocolate Cake

Two cups sugar, one-half cup butter, one-half cup grated chocolate, two eggs, one cup buttermilk, two teaspoonfuls soda, three cups flour.

MRS. CRICHTON GETS DIVORCE

Mrs. Lucile Crichton was granted a divorce Thursday in the Athens county courts from Eugene W. Crichton of this city. The divorce carried with it restoration to her maiden name, Lucile Curtis. It was obtained at Athens as she is now residing at Amesville, Athens county with her parents.

No alimony was mentioned, it being understood that a private settlement was made concerning this prior to the filing of divorce proceedings.

Misses Sylvia Dillon and [illegible] McGinn, who moved during the past week to their new apartments on Findlay street entertained a few young folks Wednesday evening.

Refreshments were served and the evening was spent in games. The guests were Misses Lulu and Lena Arnett, Messrs Steve Pickett, Ellis Arnett and Malchlin Haines.

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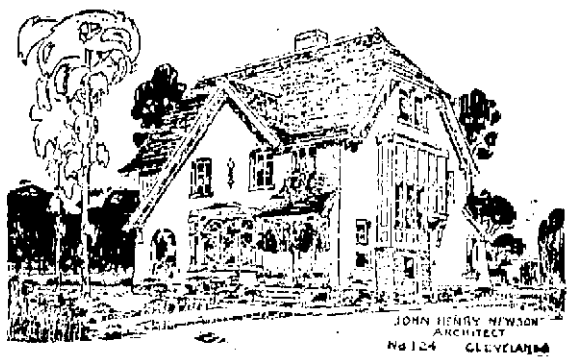
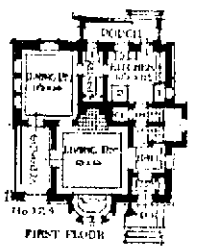
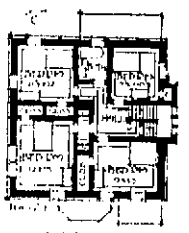


This is a type of cement house having the feeling of modern German work. The absence of the porch, the bay window on the center of the gable in the front, and the treatment of the stair bay give this house the character and snap which has made it so popular with our friends. The walls being buff colored with the exterior woodwork stained brown and sash painted white together with the green slate roof and red brick foundation compose a color scheme which is livened by a touch of brilliant color in the flower box over the hood and also in the flower boxes at each side of the entrance stoop.



FIRST FLOOR



SECOND FLOOR

A little study of the plan will show how thoroughly everything that goes to make an artistic home has been worked out. Attention is called to the veranda opening off the dining room as well as the living room. The second floor has four bedrooms, each with ample closet, linen closet, bathroom, a well-lighted hall and stairway to attic. The basement extends under the entire house and is reached from the grade entrance landing under the main stairs and from the kitchen, or through the hall from the living room. Sufficient space to be finished off as a billiard room or divided into additional bedrooms is provided in the attic.

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Need Of Sewer For School Is To Be Urged On Council

At the meeting of the board of education, held Friday evening in the superintendent's office in the high school building, it was unanimously decided to arrange for a conference with the city council in the early future, at which the need of a sanitary sewer of sufficient size to handle the sewage of the North End would be emphasized with such weight as to impress upon the members of council the necessity of immediate action.

Much trouble has been occasioned at the Highland building because of the fact that there is no sewer connecting with the building to carry off the sewage, and the board is up against a serious problem there in caring for the situation properly. Residents in that section of the city are also complaining bitterly over the lack of proper sewer service, and the board feels that council will take action when informed of the pressing need of relief. The Highland building is equipped with flush closets, but under existing conditions, they cannot be kept sanitary.

The board took under advisement a request from a committee from the Jr. O. U. A. M. for the use of the high school auditorium during the state convention of the order, which will be held in this city on August 27, 28 and 29. The members present had no objection to the use of the auditorium, but they wanted the other two members to have an opportunity to voice their sentiments. The committee from the Jr. O. U. A. M., consisted of C. B. Groniger, William Boyles, Irvin Bowser, Miles B. Cropper and A. N. Blake.

The Odd Fellows have also made a request for the use of the auditorium during the state convention of that order in this city during July, and this request will be passed upon at the next meeting, along with the one from the Jr. O. U. A. M.

Superintendent Appel was authorized to purchase 100 stools for the lunch room in the high school building and also, to order 100 diplomas, the supply having been exhausted.

The board instructed the city solicitor to collect the amount due from Union township for the high school tuition of John Simon, a Boxwell graduate. There is a dispute between the school boards of Union and Rush townships as to which one is responsible for the bill.

Permission was given to Photographer S. C. Cook to take a photograph of the high school pupils in the spring.

Upon recommendation of Supt. Appel, the board voted to dismiss school on Monday following Washington's birthday, Sunday, February 22.

The regular schedule of bills, amounting to $2246.04 was allowed.

A bare quorum, Members Sendder, Jackson and Nourse were present, Members Hudson and Purdum being absent.

TO PREACH AT FIRST PRES.

Dr. Selby F. Vance who expected to be at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow can not come, having a very severe cold. Rev. Edgar J. Vance, one of the students at Lane Seminary, will come in his stead.

* THIRTEENTH SON NAMED "FRIDAY" *
* Sharon, Pa., Feb. 14.—Mrs. George Fager, of Hickory township, yesterday gave birth to her thirteenth son. Fager immediately named the boy Friday. Most of the children are living. *

GOING UP IN MASONRY

Gus H. Barlow, cashier of the Federal Life Insurance company at Columbus, and son of Gus B. Barlow, manager of the Ohio department of the company, was in the large "Consecration Class" of 32nd degree Masons upon which Scioto Consistory Columbus conferred the degrees recently. He will have the Shrine degree conferred upon him in the big class next Monday, February 16, by Aladdin Temple, Columbus. His father, Gus B. Barlow has been a member for many years in the Cincinnati Scottish Rite bodies.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

J. B. Fullerton to Benjamin Rolf, land in Porter township, $1.

J. B. Fullerton to James S. Stevens, land in Porter township, $1.

Charles A. Pugh and others, to [illegible] Newman and others, lot on Seventh street, $1.

Taylor A. [illegible] to Hutchins & Hanna, [illegible]

[illegible]

Callie [illegible] Charles G. Cameron, lot on [illegible] street, [illegible]

NOTICE

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Class Of Ten Are Initiated

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The occasion is therefore one of unbounded joy and gladness, and too much stress can not be laid upon the remarkable influence which a mother's happy, peaceful disposition has upon the health and features of the generation to come.

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Hoodoo For Conger

Lolley Conger never had any faith in hoodoos. Maybe that's the reason his new cylinder press on which he has a rush of catalogue work, broke with a terrific crash, Friday the 13th. Fortunately it is a double delivery machine, and the substitute of the unused apparatus soon set it going again. But the fates were not to be foiled. No sooner was the press fixed than a water pipe burst and ruined nearly a hundred dollar's worth of stock. The water was no sooner shut off than Miss Nannie Williams, of the binding department, drove a big stitch of wire through her finger and clinched there. Eh, Eh, now, what do you think Lol?

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ARTICLE BY EDGAR WOODROW

In a current issue of the Shoe Recorder, appears an excellent halftone likeness of Edgar R. Woodrow, formerly of this city, now general sales manager for the Krohn, Fechheimer and Company, shoe manufacturers, of Cincinnati, together with a two column interview with him on the style trend in shoes for next fall and winter.

Young Woodrow was born and reared in Portsmouth and for several years held a responsible position in the offices of the Excelsior Shoe factory of this city. His many friends in the city will be pleased to hear of his success.

Buys An Indian

Ermando Marsi, an Italian employed at the Selby Shoe company, purchased a new Hendee special Indian motorcycle through Strahm and Clausing Friday. This is one of the special models of the [illegible]

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Just 30 years ago today, Saturday, February 14, 1884, Portsmouth experienced its worst flood with the exception of the disastrous inundation of March, 1913. On this memorable date the Ohio reached its highest stage, 66 feet and 6 inches. Valentines were exchanged from second story windows, johnboats and skiffs being used for transportation.

In those days Portsmouth was more or less in its swaddling clothes and dire disaster faced the city. But with characteristic courage and go-ahead spirit the devastation wrought by the giant flood was soon wiped out.

Walter Norris stated Saturday that he was one of the many who distributed valentines in johnboats and he remembers the day as if it were yesterday.

The Glove Plant Is Proving A Success

Probably few people realize that Portsmouth has a glove manufacturing plant in full operation in the city, which already gives promise of becoming a formidable plant of the kind.

The Reeg Manufacturing company are operating a glove plant in the rear of 1243 Ninth street. Five girls are at work daily and as soon as five additional machines can be installed the working force will be doubled. The firm turns out canvas gloves and a popular priced leather glove. Salesmen carry the gloves as a sideline and find a ready market for them.

Arthur Reeg, who is at the head of the plant, stated Saturday that despite the fact that the firm got a late start this season it had turned out 360 pairs of gloves each day in the week for the past two months. The plant was built by George P. Reeg, father of Arthur Reeg, and is located in the rear of his home on Ninth street. It is a growing little plant and is going to be heard from.

Here is another chance to buy "Portsmouth Made Goods."

Too Many Johns

John W. Newman of Rarden, better known as "Rocky", who was in Portsmouth Friday, has a good reason for having a nick name such as "Rocky". Back in the '80's there were seven John Newmans in his community and some of them had to be nicknamed. He was working for a man by the name of "Rocky" Williams and so got the name "Rocky" to be keep him from being confused with the many other Johns.

S. S. Not Afraid Of The Beautiful

Better snow than slush—better slush than rain!

That's the way the members of the First Christian church Sunday School view the weather proposition. Snow and cold bring to the surface of cheeks the blush of health and a fellow doesn't have to pinch himself to find out whether or not he is a live one. Everybody is hustling during the cold bleak winter and while it really is some hardship to toss off the blankets and comforts in the morning, nevertheless a fellow steps lively to make up for lost time.

All this being true, there is really no good reason why a large crowd should not be present tomorrow. Supt. Howland is counting on seeing fully 300 people there and he vows that he will not be disappointed.

The Men's Class will again assemble at the Ben Hur lodge rooms, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, and another splendid session is anticipated. The class is composed of live ones, and a larger crowd than last Sunday is expected. The photograph of the class taken two Sundays ago when 289 were present, will be on sale and those who have ordered same can secure them immediately at the close of the discussion of the lesson, which is an exceptionally good one for discussion among men as it has to do with "shams."

Suit For Account.

Attorneys Johnson & Johnson, filed a suit in common pleas court late Friday afternoon in which Roberts, Johnson and Rand, Branch of the International Shoe Company, are plaintiffs, against R. C. Blackburn, the defendant. A suit for the collection of an account amounting to $167.65.

Case In Supreme Court.

Henry T. Bannon, will go to Columbus the first of the week as he is interested in a motion that will come up [illegible] Ward [illegible] Company against the [illegible] & O.

A Pretty Valentine.

[illegible]

Divorce Suit Continued

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Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!

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Notice of Stockholders' Meeting

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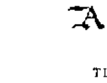
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BEAUTIFUL THOUGHTS ARE GIVEN IN WOMEN'S TOASTS

The toasts at the first annual banquet of the College Women's Club of Portsmouth at the Hotel Washington, Thursday evening, was of so much interest, and so many goods points were made in the various toasts that The Times has decided to publish them in full, believing the sentiments expressed will be of material benefit to all women. They are especially recommended to the school girls who are looking forward to their future college careers.

The toasts are as follows:

EASTERN COLLEGES

MRS. WM. H. SCHWARTZ

When it was suggested that I talk tonight on the Eastern Colleges and their advantages and peculiarities, I thought I had an easy task, as I am a most loyal graduate of an Eastern college. Then I remembered that I am one of a few who attended an Eastern college and I might offend my stern sisters who are greatly in the majority.

I am sure you will agree with me that the Eastern institutions were the [illegible] in education for women. As the East was colonized first, so following civilization and higher education in the same zone. Some twenty or thirty years ago a man was not considered an educated unless he were a graduate of Harvard, or Yale, or Princeton, or some Eastern College. But since the [illegible] universities and other great [illegible] of the West have sprung into such vigorous existence and have so [illegible] opened their doors to women [illegible] claim no advantages for the Eastern College. To be sure, it broadens the scope and interest of the Western girl to attend an Eastern College, [illegible] of the Eastern girl to study in the West.

Vassar was the first college founded [illegible] for the higher education for women that gave a degree. Ten years [illegible] followed Wellesley and Smith. Yet, some 30 years earlier in the little village of South Hadley, Mary Lyon with a small circle of enthusiastic [illegible] who supported her, founded the first institution of learning for the [illegible] education of women in America. [illegible] Mary Lyon is to the Mt. Holyoke students what John Harvard is to the men of Harvard. She lives [illegible] in the hearts of Mt. Holyoke students as an inspiring, pervading spirit. [illegible] of her messages has come down through the generations of students as [illegible] practical illustration. She said to the girls of her day: "Young ladies, I would rather you would say [illegible] would rise at eight o'clock in the morning, and arise at eight o'clock, than say you will arise at the earlier [illegible] 6:30 o'clock, and arise at a quarter before seven. Always do what you say you will."

[illegible] us as individuals and as an organization "do what we say we will." [illegible] not add one stone to that [illegible] and interminable [illegible] with our good intentions and [illegible].

IF

[illegible]

[illegible]

THE PURPOSE OF OUR CLUB

[illegible]

[illegible]

people who are getting it up feel the need of it. That is, I do not think it should be merely another club in a town where there are already more clubs than people know what to do with. I think this club should be the natural outgrowth of the school life that we have all enjoyed.

We all know the period when we first leave school for good and feel like rudderless boats adrift on a large expanse of water. No one understands us, and no one cares to. We miss the school routine and the esprit d' esprit of college life. What a pleasure and a comfort it is to get with some kindred spirit and compare notes. Some of us are still going through this phase while others have gotten to the stage where college life is a pleasant and vivid memory; while still others are fast reaching the point where this memory is fading into oblivion and we are losing touch with the true educational spirit.

This, it seems to me, shows us what should be the purpose of a college club. First, a bond to promote friendship between people of like aims and ambitions; second, a chain to link us to past experiences, and third, a chance to keep up college spirit and lend a helping hand to those ambitions for an education. If we start out with these ideals it will follow that our club will stand for all that is best and most progressive in the community; but I do not feel that we should take upon our shoulders any regular work, either of a philanthropical or literary nature. We can all do this sort of work in the numerous other organizations which stand for those things.

But for the present our club should stand merely for the social and educational aims I have mentioned, with the idea of giving practical help as soon as we are able to those desiring an education and unable to get it unaided.

THE CLUB IDEA

MRS. HERBERT SCOTT

One naturally feels a little embarrassment and confusion in addressing for the first time such a splendid company as this [illegible] most perfect strangers. But I trust I shall not be reduced to the state of confusion of a certain lady who was quite late to church one morning, and finding her usual seat filled, turned to the usher and said, "Somebody is occupewing my pie." Her embarrassment was infectious and the usher, bowing low, answered: "I see, madam; allow me to sew you to another sheet."

When asked to respond to a toast this evening I begged for a subject, pleading that we might all toast the same theme. But being given entire liberty in the choice, I fear I may do as George Eliot says of one of her characters, "flutter in all directions and fly in none."

Nowadays, when every field of attainment is open to womankind it should be an easy task to speak for three minutes—upon any such subject as higher mathematics, city politics, equal suffrage, or the place of mere man in the social order. Which reminds me of the story of a foolish unmarried young man who liked to dogmatize on what he called the "appropriate sphere" of woman; and was one day vaguely discoursing on his favorite theme. "And pray, my young sir," asked a stern matron of 50, "will you please to tell us what is the appropriate sphere of woman?" Thus confronted, he only babbled to reply: "A celestial sphere, madam."

But I am not going to take your time with any of the subjects I have mentioned.

I like the idea of a College Woman's club in a city like Portsmouth. Of course, we all know that this has well been called the club age. And assuredly whichever way we turn we encounter clubs. There are clubs to the right of us, clubs to the left of us, and probably clubs still more numerous ahead of us, and I almost vowed when I came to your city that clubs must be behind me, and never again to get myself entangled in the demands of half a dozen clubs as in other places.

But, I admit, the club idea is fascinating, and although it may have had its birthplace in the much-abused sewing circle, the woman's club has long outgrown its infant clothes and now appears upon various occasions clad in so many different garbs that even a classification is out of the question. The growth of clubs and societies among women has been in direct proportion to her interest in and entrance upon lines of work hitherto unknown to her. Where formerly we had the sewing society and the harmless reading circle we are now met at every turn by societies for the cure of social evils, for the solution of vexing municipal problems, for the scientific study of questions of government and periods of history.

It has been said that college women make the most ideal club women and I heartily maintain that an association like this can do much good in binding together for local work women who have been trained at different colleges, but who are yet fitted for the same sphere of usefulness. I like the plan of one college woman's club whose aim was to revive the lost art of conversation and was managed upon the plan of the Coffee Club of the days of Addison and Steele, the meeting being held in a restaurant. Books and topics of the day were discussed, and gossip, scandal, or any reference to the weather was the occasion for a fine.

The "so-called" new thought says:

"Would you be at peace, speak peace to the world. Would you be healed, speak health to the world. Would you be loved, speak love to the world. Would you be successful, speak success to the world."

And so whatever line of work our organization may decide to take up, to get the very best out of it, shall we not all put our very best [illegible].

"Then away with Logans
And hail for Labor,
And hail for Love,
For a Life of Labor
And Study
And Love
Is the life that fits for the joy above!"

THE SONG OF THE SIGNAL

MRS. JOHN KENRICK

There are voices all around me,
Chanting an old melody;
Pictures I see gliding onward,
[illegible]
For I have a song to sing you
Of fancies that fall into rhyme,
[illegible]
My steps to a sound keeping time,
[illegible]
[illegible]
A rise to each of its accents
I am not to understand.
So, just for the sake of the spectres
Hovering around you and me,
Bidding us look at old keep-sakes,
Making us see what we see,
I'll sing you a song of the old time,
A gleaming of smiles and of tears,
Of that good old convent signal
That guided our school-girl years.
Clap! Don't you hear it ringing
Adown through the lapse of time,
Conjuring up sweet memories—
Pictures of mould more sublime—
Than artist has ever painted,
None other perhaps can espy,
All their intrinsic value—
No one but you and I.
Clap! There it sounds in the class-room,
That signal is snapping at you;
The stars are not out, so be about
And do what you have to do.
"Come down from Kingdom come," don' be
Wool-gathering any more;
You'll come to your senses amid the tenses
Of Latin verbs after four.
Ring! Some one is dreamily gazing
Out from her work to the skies—
Some Dora whose "figures won't add up."
No matter how often she tries.
Ring! 'Tis the hour of the Roman!
Thusly Scipio's wisdom fades
When an oracle great as Appolio
Proclaims you unwisest of maids
Ring! Is it a Tango with Chopin?
A rhapsody maybe with Liszt?
Answers—practice one hour those studies
Considered such help to the wrist.
Ring! There are desks in disorder,
How can you expect to rule
As mistress one day of a household,
With your desks upset so at school?
Clap! Yes, old "Trig" must engage you,
Keep your eye within Logarythm range,
Did you even think then they'd expect you,
Nay, ask you to count merely "change?"
Clap! According to etiquette's rules, please
Introduce Mr. B— if you can;
I wonder if Chesterfield ever produced
Such a perfectly mannerly man?
Clap! 'Tis the hour for dismissal;
Courtesy—how low at your place,
Which of you here this evening
Can do it with oldtime grace.
Clap! What power it has wielded,
That weapon of fragile frame,
Alike o'er the docile and wayward at
St. Mary's, Mt. Notre Dame.
Oh, oft as I look through the portals
Of the past, in sweet reverie,
I see the flash of bright faces
Loved teachers smiling at me;
While over the landscape floating,
Caught up by the breeze, the chime
Of that good old convent signal
Keeps ringing all the time;
I hear it from early morning,
Throughout the livelong day;
It hath an art to discover,
No magical sense can convey.
At times, when I least expect it,
Even at night in the dark,
I hear that signal snapping,
And see that accompanying mark.
There's a song in my heart like a bell
Ringing throughout the years;
Whether its tones be merry or sad,
Voiced in smiles or in tears;
Memories around that old signal,
A kindly oracle cast
Like the touch of a benediction
On some long forgotten past.
Oh, I want to go back to days
Flown over the hills, don't you?
To do, just for a little while,
The same as I used to do.
I think I'll wander away some day
Out to the foot of a hill,
Where red birds up in the lindens
Are watching a village mill,
Up past our lady's grotto,
And the taper's kindly light,
Along by the orchard teeming
With its weight of fruitage bright,
Over the lawn to the arbor
Where the luscious Concords grow,
Till I pause for awhile by that old gray stile
To watch the sunset's glow,
Then when shadows grow deeper and deeper,
I'll hie to my white curtained bed,
Where I've a window all to myself
And the stars look in at my head,
There in the hush and the silence,
When all is so very still,
I think yes, I think I'll write rhymes
As of old on the window sill;
Not troublesome ones, but the kind
That fall into rhyme with ease,
Where you take a poet's license
And sort of go on as you please
Away from all study and bother,
Into a school where I see
Things with intuitive knowledge, but
That signal is snapping at me,
On, on to the verge of far dreamland
Where the sea of oblivion expands,
I hear the faint signal responding
To the touch of vanished hands,
And I harken to words of wise counsel
That perhaps once unheeded fell,
But whose meaning, through years a musing,
I have fathomed deeply and well.
So, just for the sake of the spectres
Hovering around you and me
Bidding us look at old keep-sakes,
Making us see what we see,
I've sung you a song of the old time,
A gleaming of smiles and of tears,
Of that good old convent signal
That guided our school-girl years.

MICHIGAN IDEALS

MRS. SCHEIDMANN

Soon after the [illegible] of Michigan was formed [illegible] Michigan farmers and [illegible] convened at their capital [illegible] to attend to the affairs of state, [illegible] first made provision for a [illegible] Agriculture at Lansing, to promote their own industry and to open several farmers. They next provided for a system of public schools much like that of other states, but modeled especially after Germany's system of instruction, the most efficient of all the world. Then as a center of learning in which their high school product might complete their education they founded the University [illegible] Ann Arbor. The university is an aggregate of colleges, embracing within its extensive scope a College of Law, a College of Medicine, [illegible] Surgery, [illegible] College of Music and a College of Literature, Science and the Arts. It [illegible] its standard up and up and up until it is numbered in rank with Yale, Harvard, Cornell, Princeton, etc., while its Law and Medical departments have [illegible].

[illegible] for the same broad principles [illegible] of Texas [illegible] Rockefeller endowed [illegible] that he kept it twenty-two million dollars [illegible] in the land [illegible] worried us [illegible] offering inducements [illegible] to our best professors, but we were proud to boast that their love for their Alma Mater and devotion to our venerable president, James Angell, [illegible] offered to us their services.

The founders of the University of Michigan desired the institution to be broadly cosmopolitan; to stand for opportunity, not for a favored few, but for all earnest, hard thinking men and women; to retain that buoyancy and enthusiasm which was natural to the West. They felt that there had grown up around Eastern institutions an artificiality, a stiltedness, sometimes even a snobbishness that had narrowed its sphere of usefulness, and they wanted the University of Michigan to be broadly humanitarian, insisting that such was true culture.

These same founders, being just as much interested in the education of their daughters as of their sons, insisted on this university being co-educational; not that they desired their women to take man's sphere in the world but they believed giving her equal advantages would train her mind into logical thinking, develop her special powers, and help her fulfil Ruskin's dream of her as set forth in his Queen's Gardens, make her the very flower of womanhood.

They inscribed on the seal of Michigan and wrote it over the archway of University Hall, in letters so large that he who runs may read this motto: "Religion, Morality and Knowledge being essential to Good Government and to the Happiness of Mankind, Schools and the Means of Education Shall forever be Encouraged."

THREE MINUTE NONSENSE VERSE

In which "Father Time" has his say.

MARY E. DRAPER

Do you remember those choice summer-like days of yester-week. When the blue sky, the balmy breeze—the sunshine, bid you seek God's lovely out of doors? On such a day, my friend, the Muse came strolling down the street, to hear the news and—tapping at my door, she gaily said—"The College Women are astir, the town is being painted red with brush-artistic wielded by woman's hand." "Our C. W. C.?" I answered, "is a thoroughly up-to-date gone [illegible] she said, "and they're planning something fine—a banquet at the Washington. 'Twill be in line with one the College Fraternity men gave several weeks ago." "And will the women scout at night," I said, "without either husband, escort, or beau?" "Poor innocent child," she answered, "and indeed your pitied. If in these latter days you do not know that everything a woman does, must be considered right?" I turned away to heave a sigh, whether of joy, or sorrow, I do not [illegible] "We come to tell you," said my Muse, touching me gently, "that you're expected for the banquet to present a Toast in verse. Don't make it long, nor prosy, but sprightly in style, and brief. Do not exceed three minutes. Just reach your college dame—state of your wrinkles, and gray locks, will count your Father Time." "Dear nurse," I cried, "the task is great for one so dull, I pray. Have me excused, alas! [illegible] I had my say, Mrs. Martin gave up her [illegible] and spoiled my [illegible]" Then, in this distress of soul, "Father Time" I thought, from whom I had never yet a favor sought. Mayhap he'll be willing to stretch out three minutes to ten. The case is desperate, I'll "beard the lion in his den." And where do you think I found [illegible] old [illegible] Out in the open, heeding the bushes, and new sown works [illegible] as he swung his scythe around, such pokes old [illegible] I never have found, since my very first day since [illegible] There, spry as a cricket, he mounted the steps of the post-office door and [illegible] up one sleeve. He sure I soon looked up my "ticket of love" for so stern was his air. I knew something there was brewing up there, [illegible] I hurried past. "What will [illegible] dear young friend," [illegible] for the words were sweet to my ears. "What can you request? You called me young! [illegible] "'Tis many years since I have had a compliment so delightful?" "Oh! You all seem like kids to me," he replied. [illegible] I was crestfallen quite, but remembering my need said "Dear Father Time in your outward [illegible] could you make Three minutes Ten minutes just for the meet of our banquet next week?" He said not a word but he stroked his white beard, and he smiled—a sweet smile. That was meant in poor sympathy [illegible] [illegible] But now I ask you, the time with him spent? For the clef [illegible] St. Mary's [illegible] and as plain as words saying, don't count on him, [illegible] [illegible] for to meet?" [illegible] [illegible] Time. Not one [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] "Twas his solution best [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of Woods and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] With something of one and [illegible]."

[illegible]

C. & O. Assessed

The state board of valuation and assessment assessed the C. & O. railroad in Kentucky at $[illegible] the same as last year.

Want 400 Tomorrow At Grandview S. S.

Nothing short of a foot of snow can prevent the Grandview securing pledges and feel confident from having 400 out for their Avenue Christian church hustlers Sunday School tomorrow morning, the leaders are confident. They have been busy all week [illegible] massive parts as the big dent they will win out.

The church was comfortably filled last night in spite of the bad weather, and there was one accession at the end of the service. The Junior Choir, composed of sixty voices, was a feature of the evening.

Tomorrow morning the pastor, Rev. E. G. Hamilton, will preach on "Eternal Life" and in the evening on "The Value of a Soul."

At two o'clock the children of the church will meet for the organization of a Children's Endeavor.

There was another addition to the church last night, making a total of 81.

It is hoped the 100 mark will be reached before the services close on Tuesday evening.

NEW IRONTON POLICE CHIEF A MODEL

Ironton, O., Feb. 14.—Mayor Hannan on Friday appointed Patrolman George Mayne as chief of police to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Chief John King. Mayne has been a policeman for 17 years. He has never smoked, never tasted liquor and never said a cuss word.

HAS GREAT RECORD

In point of continuous running the Carlyle Brick company, whose plant is located near Sciotoville have established an enviable record and one that will stand for a long time in brick manufacturing circles.

George E. Carlyle stated Saturday that during the past eight years the plant has only been idle 17 days, which is certainly a record. "And mind you we had two floods," said Mr. Carlyle with a gleam of satisfaction in his eye. The firm has several big contracts on hand at present and the plant is humming in all departments.

"We will hardly start shipping brick before April 1," said Mr. Carlyle, Saturday, when asked if the firm had made any large shipments lately.

BIGELOW CHURCH NOTES

Rev. A. F. Hughes will begin his series of special sermons on "Smith" at the Bigelow church Sunday evening. His first subject will be "Smith and the Church."

During the evening he will discuss such questions "What has the church a right to expect of Smith," "What Smith has a right to expect of the church," "Is the church enough of a success to deserve Smith's support?" "What is the true function of a church?" "Should men be urged to attend Sunday school, rather than the church services?"

At the close of the service all who wish may ask questions which the pastor will be glad to answer.

H. M. Baker's class of young men gave a supper at the church Friday evening, when it was decided to form a boys' club, and to begin work at once to secure money for a shower bath in the gym at Wesley Mission on Second street. There will be a meeting at the gym Monday evening to complete the organization of the club.

An interesting debate will be held at Bigelow church Monday evening, following the supper, which will be served at 6 o'clock, and to which all men are urged to come.

The subject will be, "Resolved, That Because of Its Inefficiency the Church Does Not Deserve the Support of Smith."

Among the debaters will be Messrs. Roger Selby, N. D. Gilliland, H. M. Baker and Dr. Howard Williamson.

Changes Positions.

W. O. Staiger has tendered his resignation as time keeper for I. E. Sturm on the Scioto River bridge construction work at Vera, effective Saturday night. On next Monday morning, he will assume a position in the time-keeping department of the Portsmouth Steel Company.

Back With Orders

After a week's business trip through the Blue Grass section of Kentucky for Hall Bros., E. K. S. Clinkenbeard returned home Saturday with a book full of orders and a few new stories.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT IS SETTLED

Just a few days ago Jesse F. Sutton, through his attorneys, Messrs Dever and Sheppard filed a $20,000 personal damage suit against the Portsmouth Steel Company. He was injured while in the employ of this company.

It was announced Saturday that the Portsmouth Steel Company had effected a settlement with Sutton out of court and that the amount Sutton received was $1,000. George Sheppard of the firm of Dever and Sheppard stated that he had been notified to this effect and that the suit would be withdrawn. Mr. Sheppard said that the suit could not be settled unless his legal firm received a reasonable fee for their services in preparing the suit.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lloyd Pigmate, aged 24, a barber, of Wayne, W. Va., was granted a license Friday afternoon to marry Carrie Eastman, aged 29, of the city. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

Mrs. Bert Stratton, who recently underwent a surgical operation at the Hempstead hospital, was reported considerably improved Saturday.

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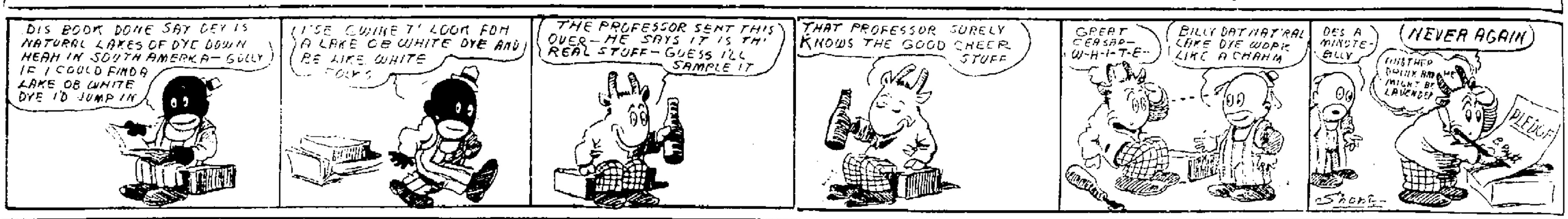

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

GOES HOME TO AWAIT BELL

First Baseman Jones Edwards has gone to his home in Mineral City, Ohio, having resigned his position in the plant of the Portsmouth steel company. He will ... again in Mineral City with his wife until the Portsmouth team is ordered to report here for spring training.

Sweeney Is Sore

Bill Sweeney says he does not care to go to Chi. He has taken up a pretty home in Boston, with nice gardens, where Bill is raising chickens and other vegetables. He objects to transferring his abode, because the ... would get all scratched up, and says it will take a big bonus from the Cubs to compensate him. Bob Perdue, however, is well pleased at the deal, and says he will gladly hie him to Chicago and a happy season.

SOPHOMORES IN THE LEAD

The Sophomore and Freshmen boy teams are tied for first place in the standing of the four classes in interclass basketball, counting Friday's game, the five representing the sophomore class had scored 95 points, Freshmen 75, Seniors 71 and the Juniors 52. The six regular players who are on the team representing P. H. S. are not allowed to participate in these class games.

This is the second year for basketball in P. H. S. and more interest is taken in the sport than ever before. A double header is played every Friday afternoon between the boy teams of the four classes in the high school gym. The girl teams play on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Below is the standing of the boy class teams counting Friday's games.

	Won	Lost
Sophomore	[illegible]	1
Freshmen	3	1
Senior	1	3
Junior	1	1

Baptists Victors

The ... Baptist ... basketball team defeated the ... Steel Plant team at ... by the score of ... The Steel Plant team started ... in the first half ... In the last half the Baptist boys ... Butler and Pearson ... for the Baptists ...

Baptists		Steel Plant
Pearson	F	Berry
Butler	F	Armstrong
Kitch	C	[illegible]
Rice	G	[illegible]
McDo[illegible]	G	[illegible]

[illegible]

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Evers Signs With Boston

Johnny Evers is a Brave to play with the Boston Nationals. The peppery, temperamental, irascible little second-sacker is not going to hurdle into the Federal camp. A golden stream struck him full in the face Friday. A wave of success washed him upon the shore of happiness.

Boston has assumed ... Johnny's contract, which means that Evers is going to get $10,000 a year for the next four years. It is also said that Evers will be given a bonus of $20,000 for becoming a brave. So you see, Evers has conquered ... his courage and bravery. He is going to take a chance on playing in Beantown. If the Braves win the pennant Evers is to get $2,000, $1,500 if they finish second and $1,000 if they end the season in the third slot. ... should worry.

Getting Fat On Criticism

New York, Feb. 14.—Charles W. Murphy, president of the Cubs, denied today that he had any intention of retiring from organized baseball or that he knew of any move to force him out of the National league. He said:

"I am in the game to stay. It has become the national pastime to kick Murphy out of baseball at least four times a year, and I am getting used to it. I am the master of my soul—the real and only boss of my ball club and I am going to run it in the way I see fit. These knocks I receive with a great deal of happiness, because they help to fill the baseball park with haters of Murphy who have paid their gate money to help make Murphy rich.

"As for Evers, ... was best for the club. He is temperamentally unfit to manage ... outside of that a very valuable man. I feel that I know enough about the executive end of the business to be able to take care of it pretty well, and I am not going to let any one do my business for me. Evers and I could not agree, and one of us had to go. Whether he plays with Boston or not, Sweeney and Perdue are going to play for me."

Maysville Team Ready For Season

Maysville, Ky., Feb. 14.—At a meeting of the Maysville Baseball company last evening at the council chambers, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Thomas A. Keith; vice president, Henry J. Shea; secretary, Thomas L. Ewan; treasurer, Robert B. Owens. Directors—Thomas A. Keith, Thomas L. Ewan, Henry J. Shea, W. H. Rees, Thomas M. Russell, John W. Fitch, W. W. McIlvain, Robert B. Owen, Dr. G. Mcintire, Gordon Sulser, Clark Rogers and James Walton.

An entertaining committee was appointed to look after several amusement benefits to be given to raise funds to help finance the team the coming season.

TO ORGANIZE SUNDAY

The White Sox baseball club of South Portsmouth will hold a meeting February 15 at 3 p. m. at the W. O. W. hall at South Portsmouth, for the purpose of electing new officers for the coming season. All persons interested in baseball in South Portsmouth are invited to be present at this meeting.

NOT A SINGLE REGULAR HAS INKED GOOD OLD CONTRACT

Manager Pete Childs stated Saturday that none of the regulars had signed yet, but that he expected the signed documents to be rolling in next week.

"You see signing a contract is a special privilege of the ball player, and he takes his own sweet time to do it," said Childs Saturday. "There's just the only thing of them spread, and a perturbing incident with them is some stunt. I know it used to be with me when I breathed imprecations upon the none too broad shoulders of the mail man for not bringing the tell-tale document earlier than he did. I guess ball players in this respect have not changed a bit," philosophized Peter.

Will Get $10,000

Joe Jackson, demon slugger of the Cleveland Naps and a Southerner by birth, is going to get $10,000 this year for wearing Nap garb and hitting around the .350 mark. Four years ago Joe was a happy-go-lucky kid knocking round the depot ready and anxious to earn two bits by carrying some traveling man's suitcase to the hotel. Funny old world, isn't it?

BOY SCOUT BASKET BALL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Troop 3	[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Troop 2	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Troop 4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Troop 1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible] ... getting 6 foul goals. The score:

Troop 2 (12)		Troop 4 (10)
Biesman	F	Darragh
[illegible]	F	Houts
[illegible]	C	Adams
[illegible]	G	Evans
[illegible]	G	Bowser

Field goals—Biesman 3, Byron 1, Ansel 1, [illegible] 2, Houts 1, Evans 1, Bowser 1. Foul goals—Biesman 6. Referee ... Timekeeper ... Scorer ...

Going Into Brooklyn

The Feds are going to put a team in Brooklyn. Well, that stood old town has had no baseball for ... years that the Feds's ... actually ... what we shall see.

WOLGAST HAS THE KALE

[illegible]

BAD GUY TO RUN IN SHOOTIN' GALLERY

... pitcher of the Central ... steady pitching ... Mr. Hixon had the ... the whole country ... exactly 30 people ... probably ... due to the fact that ... from Lawrence county.

GOES WITH FEDS

[illegible]

They Would Give A Lot

[illegible]

Clarke To Sign

[illegible]

COME ON MURPHY PUT ON MUFFLER

[illegible]

FAST BUT IS NOT HEADY BASE RUNNER

[illegible]

NO NEVER FEAR SPRING IS NEAR

[illegible]

HOFMAN IS CARDINAL

[illegible]

THEATRICAL

Scene From "A Daughter of the Hills" at the Lyric, Monday

Last Days of Pompeii

The most beautiful and elaborate photo drama produced since George Kleine's "Quo Vadis" startled this country, is "The Last Days of Pompeii," taken from Lord Bulwer Lytton's classic novel of the same name. It is a gem and worthy of the reputation of Mr. Kleine who is also sponsor for it. The whole delightful love tale is told in a series of exquisite pictures, veritable triumphs of the photographer's art. The engagement here will begin soon at the Columbia. Watch this paper for date.

"The Chocolate Soldier" Coming

The story of "The Chocolate Soldier," which will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House, on Saturday, February 28, is derived from "Arms and the Man," the comic masterpiece of England's most brilliant dramatist, George Bernard Shaw, but the supreme secret of the delightful opera's power is the magic beauty of Oscar Straus' music. The scenes of "The Chocolate Soldier" are laid in Bulgaria and its picturesqueness has given the producer, Mr. F. C. Whitney, ample scope to characterize the production by scenic elegance and a wealth of local color.

Columbia

The program at the Columbia this evening consists of a two reel special Indian picture entitled "The Paleface Brave." This picture was taken amid beautiful natural scenery and is full of action. On Monday, "The Old and the New," a Selig drama, and "A Lucky Elopement," a ... Vitagraph comedy, will be shown. On Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, Manager Tyler has secured another of those good specials from the ... of the General Film company, "The Battle of ...," in three full reels, is said to be one of the very best war pictures ever produced. This picture was made by the Lubin company and contains a most interesting story ... for his girl ... in mind this ... next Tuesday and Wednesday, four reels for 10 cents.

Sun Theatre

[illegible]

... powerful melodrama in three reels called "Partners in Crime." In it is pictured the double life of two swell crooks who are so successful that the son of one and the daughter of the other, each believing their parents to be worthy, fall in love and are forced to battle with the terrible eventualities of crime. The story is replete with striking climaxes and can safely be called big because of the ingenuity with which the many baffling plots are foiled by the detectives. It is a worth while detective story.

Big Special For Lyric

"A Daughter of the Hills," in three massive parts, is the big attraction at the popular Lyric for Monday, and it is one grand picture from beginning to end. It is one of the Famous Players productions and nothing has been ... to make it a superb photoplay in every respect. It tells a powerful romantic love story of the days of Rome under Nero, a gladiator and his simple, stupendous sweetheart. Laura Sawyer plays the lead and the entire company are real actors. The scenery and costumes used are thoroughly in keeping with the time of the story will merit special attention. The admission will be only ten cents afternoon and night, and you should be sure and see this picture if you want to enjoy a good one.

Needham To Play

Steubenville, Feb. 14.—Thomas Needham has ... as ... of ... the safety of Steubenville and announced he would return to Chicago, where he will ... in the Chicago North Ends baseball club.

Basketball Game Tonight

The basketball game at Huntington is the only Saturday game on the Red and Blue schedule, all the other games being on Friday evening. After playing Huntington Saturday, P. H. S. will be at home for three consecutive Fridays, playing Ashland, Maysville and Huntington in order. The local five has won two and lost two so far this season. Pete Brandle, who has been playing right guard has been shifted to left forward in the place of O. Dulain. J. Jones has been put in Brandle's place at guard. Thurman, Brandle, Swasheim, Pendleton, J. Jones and DeLay made the trip for Huntington. They will return Saturday evening late.

Says Parsonage Is Over Line

Attorney N. B. Gilliland filed a suit in common pleas court Saturday morning in which Christian H. Sauer is plaintiff, and Rev. W. A. Whitner and the trustees of the Methodist church of Wheelersburg are defendants. The Methodist people ... a new parsonage on a lot adjoining Mr. Sauer and there seems to be some dispute as to the line between them. Sauer claims they are ... and he asks that they be enjoined from so doing and made to pay the damage for what they had done.

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OVER BARDEN IS COMING

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HAD SPECIAL CONVOCATION

Calvary Commandery, No. ... Knights Templar, conferred the Order of the Red Cross upon ... Joynes, at N. & W. engineer, ... special convocation, held ... Temple at 7:30 o'clock ... evening. Supper was served ... forty or more Sir Knights ... Caterer Seel at 6:30 o'clock.

... and the Order of the Temple ... red upon Mr. Joynes and ... Christ. Miss Bertha Stace ... succeeded Miss Ella Berry ... piano in the Temple Q... which consists of Miss Staiger ... Lollie Anderson, E. E. Kr... and Adam Barkel.

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The Snow Storm Did Very Little Damage

The heavy snowstorm that prevailed Friday did not seriously affect telephone or telegraphic communication. The street railway company experienced some little difficulty in maintaining their normal service on the Hilltop and Third street lines Saturday morning, but traffic on the main line met with very little interruption.

A force of men under the supervision of Traffic Manager Hugh H. Higgins, worked all night to keep the tracks clear of snow and ice. While the N. & W. and the B. & O. S.-W. trains are running a little late the heavy fall of snow did not impede traffic to any great extent. At the offices of the Home and Bell telephone companies it was stated that very little damage resulted to their city, long distance or rural service. A few men were kept on the job for emergency sake Friday evening.

Traffic on the Hilltop car line was at a standstill for an hour early Friday evening as one of the cars had something wrong with its mechanism and refused to run until the trouble was located and repaired. Snow plows were used on all the lines and service was kept up in very good shape considering the disadvantages the workmen had to combat with.

A circuit wire on board No. 3 at the sub power station at Tenth and Offnere street grounded at 7 o'clock Friday night and electric service in certain sections of the city was cut off for 20 minutes. A number of down town business houses were in the affected zone.

ELK SEAT RESERVATION

The executive committee of the Elks Minstrel club announced Saturday that seats for the minstrel to be given at the Grand Monday and Tuesday, February 23 and 24 will be reserved on Wednesday, February 18, at 7 p. m. Hundreds of tickets have been sold and they can be reserved without extra charge on the evening of Wednesday, February 18.

Moose Ready To Celebrate Sunday

Indications point to "one big time" in Moose circles Sunday afternoon. The local lodge is going to give a birthday party to its members in the form of a large class initiation. There will be at least 100 in the class. The membership committee will be in session Sunday morning from 8 to 10:30 to receive and pass upon those who could not make up their mind until the last minute. The class work starts at 1:30 p. m. and will be under the supervision of George A. Hamilton of Washington, D. C., and Elmer E. Wesh [illegible]. A large crowd is expected and it will cap the climax for a first year of any lodge in Moose circles. This class will make the local lodge over 500 members. Come early and stay late.

Bartenders Meeting

Members of the Bartender's Local will meet in regular session at their quarters on Second street near Market, on Sunday afternoon. No business of unusual importance will come up for discussion, according to the statements of the officers Saturday.

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Camden, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a small battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go out, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping-chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now I feel like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. Tillie Waters, 1135 Knight St., Camden, N.J.

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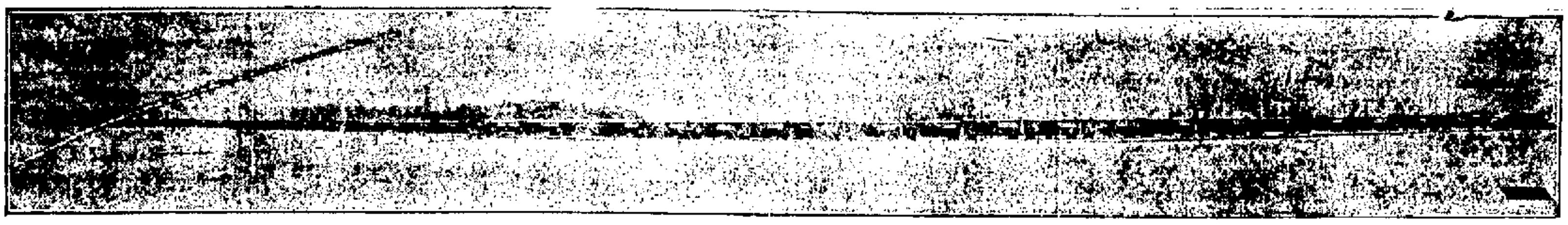

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Wife Didn't Like Husband Better Than Any Other Man—One Couple Made Up

Lifes' Woes Related In Divorce Suits

The suit of Rachael Schaffer against Frank Schaffer, for divorce and alimony, was called for trial in common pleas court Saturday morning. It was to be hotly contested, Judge Blair appearing for the plaintiff and Theo. K. Funk for the defendant. The plaintiff in her petition charged cruelty, in that he choked and beat her, and drove her from home. He comes back with a cross petition charging her with cruelty and of leaving him and taking everything they had with her. She came back in reply saying that he gave all that she took and even hauled it away for her. Here was an opportunity for a peacemaker to get in his work, and the attorneys and the court remembering that they had read somewhere, "Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God," went to work and a settlement was effected, and the two went home apparently happy. They are good people of Bloom township, owning a small farm and run a general merchandise store.

Claims Wife Free With Other Men

The case of Ona Fannin against Ivy Fannin, a suit in divorce, was heard in common pleas court, Saturday morning. The charges were neglect, and being too free with other men, not satisfied with married life and insanely jealous. Fannin on the witness stand said that when they separated she did not think any more of him than she did of any other man.

Two witnesses testified that they knew Mrs. Fannin, that she was now living in Kentucky, keeping company with other men and attending dances every few nights with other men. The case was continued for further evidence, Judge Blair, plaintiff's attorney.

Mrs. Tibbs Is Given Divorce

In the suit in divorce of Mary Tibbs against Thomas Tibbs, which was partially heard Friday afternoon, was concluded Saturday morning. Tibbs was brought into court. He was very reluctant about telling anything of note about the case. He denied however, nearly all the allegations made by his wife. The court tried to assume the role of peacemaker, but Mrs. Tibbs said she could not live with him because she was really afraid of him doing her personal injury, or that he would kill her. The court then granted a divorce. Frank W. Moulton, plaintiff's attorney.

DAMAGES ARE PAID

The last chapter in the Verl or Delbert Damage suit against the street railway company was written Friday evening when Attorney George W. Shump [illegible] a check for $[illegible] 45, representing the amount of damages the jury in the case awarded John H. DeLord, who brought suit against the company. DeLord is the [illegible] took part [illegible] and [illegible] DeLord [illegible] given [illegible] 1911, which [illegible] DeLord [illegible] West Virginia will arrive in the city Monday to get his check.

Packing Household Goods

The Portsmouth Storage & Auction company is packing the household goods of Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas, 1757 Eleventh street, for shipment to Indiana as soon as Mr. Thomas has definitely decided upon his location.

TERMINALS

Rev. W. T. Slade of the American Bible society, with headquarters in Cincinnati, will have charge of the Sunday afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. lobby at 1:30. Miss Bertha Staiger will have charge of the music at the meeting.

Rev. F. P. Langhorne of the Kendall Avenue Baptist church and C. W. Ridenour of the Y. M. C. A., conducted the Bible class meetings in the lower yards Saturday noon.

The N. & W. pay checks did not arrive as was expected on No. 3 Saturday and the men will not be paid until Monday.

Robert McCorkle, N. & W. stenographer, will spend Sunday in Cincinnati with his parents.

The N. & W. "back shops" are down, but the roundhouse and the car shops are working.

Jess Gardner of Walnut street will take the job as engineer at the Independent Hominy plant in the city Monday.

Sammie Warnock of Gallia pike is suffering with a sprained back. He works at the steel plant at New Boston.

Friday, at 3 o'clock, at Spruce Creek, W. Va., Conductor T. C. Trigger, in charge of N. & W. local No. 80, had two of his fingers mashed while unloading a barrel of sugar. He was later taken to his home at Kenova. The engineer was C. W. Norman.

N. & W. work train extra No. 215 struck a mule team near Glen Jean, O., Friday morning. The train was making eight miles an hour at the time of the accident. The wagon was damaged slightly. The team was driven by Andrew Fox, who was unhurt, and was owned by E. Dunn, of Chillicothe.

Edward Collins has taken a position as clerk in the N. & W. yard office.

Rev. L. J. Hopper, of the United Brethren church talked to the men of the Bible class at the wharf Friday noon. Thursday noon Rev. L. E. Hart, of the Manly church delivered a splendid talk to the men of the machine shop Bible class.

Everett Colegrove, of the Y. M. C. A., forcedenies the report that he is going to move to the Terminals. He is perfectly satisfied with his hill top home.

Bernard Heid had charge of the Friday evening meeting at the Y. M. C. A. lobby. His subject was [illegible]

Both Belligerents Fined By Mayor

An [illegible] fight which occurred in the pool room on Second street Friday evening, was heard in police court when the mayor had Floyd Evans, a local youth, and Dave Corra, the proprietor, a foreigner, before him on charges of disorderly conduct.

Corra had preferred the charge against Evans, but the evidence showed plainly that he was not free from fault. After questioning the two men the mayor fined each of them $5 and costs. The two became involved in an argument, during which Corra knocked the youth down with a fist blow.

[illegible] complained [illegible] of disorder in the pool room and the mayor informed Corra that he would have to maintain better order if he expects to continue in business.

Lula Kibler, the woman who was jointly accused with Yank Robinson of preemptorily appropriating a room at the home of Mrs. Mamie Bet[illegible] Saturday night, and later of the theft of a coat from the Bates home, admitted her guilt to the mayor Saturday. She was arrested Friday afternoon on Front street [illegible] could not [illegible] a cash fine.

The [illegible] Martin [illegible] to the grand jury on the charge of [illegible] Gist, was [illegible] Saturday morning [illegible] by the grand jury [illegible] mail [illegible]

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Feb. 14, 1914.
Observations taken at 7 a. m.

	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Franklin	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
Greensboro	[illegible]	7.6 F		.10
Pittsburgh	[illegible]	2.2 F		[illegible]
Wheeling	[illegible]			.44
Parkersburg	36	1.8 F		.42
Charleston	[illegible]	2.8 F		[illegible]
Pt. Pleasant	21	[illegible] F		
Catlettsburg	[illegible]	[illegible]		1.12
Portsmouth	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]

River Forecast.

Fair and colder weather over upper Ohio valley tonight and Sunday. River will fall.

H. C. DONNALLY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river [illegible] dropping [illegible] and the [illegible] shows [illegible] falling at [illegible] points. [illegible] will [illegible] Sunday for [illegible]

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Flannigan On The Job

Prompt attention to the streets in the business district was paid by Street Superintendent Lawrence Flannigan Friday, and as a result, traffic over the streets is not seriously handicapped as a result of the heavy snowfall. The street crew had the snow plow out early Friday morning, and repeated the same operation Friday evening after the second snow of the day.

The snow in the gutters and along the curbs was thrown into the center of the street by means of an improvised snow plow, and the freezing up of the gutters was thus prevented. Early Saturday morning a crew of men were put to work removing the snow from streets and carrying it away in wagons. The prompt action on the street cleaning department provoked much favorable comment from the merchants in the business district.

No Teams On Hand

Members of the Peerless Bowling League were evidently "snowed under" Friday evening, as none of the teams scheduled to bowl at the Play House and Acme alleys showed up for their games.

Nelson Admits His Guilt; Is Sentenced

The case against Bird Nelson was disposed of suddenly Saturday morning, when the court agreed to accept the plea of petit larceny. The indictment of Pocket Picking was nollied, and Nelson then came into court and withdrew his former plea of not guilty, and entered a plea of guilty of petit larceny, and the court sentenced him to 30 days in the workhouse and $50 and costs, and stand committed until the fine and costs are paid. Nelson was charged with picking the pocket of Clarence Petty, of Vanceburg, Ky. He pleaded not guilty and Judge Blair was appointed by the court to defend him. The case went to trial, and the jury returned a verdict of guilty. Owing to some defect in the charge of the court, a new trial was granted. On a second hearing the jury failed to agree, 10 standing for conviction and two for acquittal. It will be seen therefore that Nelson made a close call for the Pen. The court allowed Judge Blair $30 for his services in defending him.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank sincerely all the kind neighbors and friends who so kindly helped us with their sympathy to bear our great sorrow; also for the beautiful flowers and songs of the church choir, the helpful talk of Rev. Mr. Hamilton. We trust God will be with them all when like trials overtake them.

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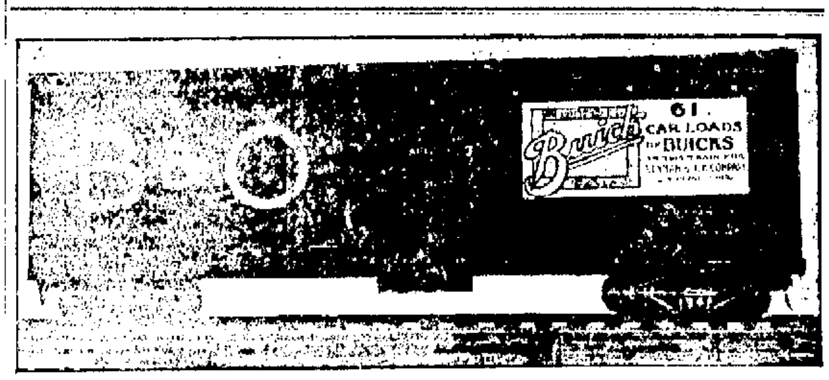
John Heid, janitor at the High street school, sold two lots on Robinson avenue near Lincoln, Friday, to John Kilcoyne. The deal was made through P. W. Kilcoyne, real estate dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prior, former Portsmouth residents, have moved from Fowler, Ill., to Lewiston, Mo.



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Record Educational Meeting To Be Held Here On March 28

The executive committee of the Scioto County Teachers' Association met this morning in the high school building and laid plans for the biggest educational meeting ever held in the county. The date of this meeting is March 28 and Portsmouth High School the place. An attendance prize will be awarded to the township having present at the meeting the largest delegation of teachers, resident pupils, patrons and school officers. Owing to advantage in location, Portsmouth, New Boston, Clay township and Porter township are not permitted to enter the contest. The prize, a new Webster's International Dictionary, will be at the disposal of the delegation winning it.

A good musical program will be rendered. From 9 to 11:30 a. m. informal discussions will be held in the High School auditorium. The theme for discussion will be "What We Are Doing In Our Schools, Illustrated and Discussed." Every township, village and special district in the county will be represented by a teacher, pupil, patron or school officer.

The afternoon session will open at one o'clock, and will be addressed by Prof. Lester S. Ivins of Columbus. Prof. Ivins is state superintendent of agricultural education for the south-western district of Ohio.

After this address a written spelling contest will be held. It will be a contest between individuals as well as between the township, city, village and special districts of the county. Any pupil below high school grade may enter the contest but districts must have at least five contestants in order to be represented as such. Two prizes will be awarded, one to the best individual speller and the other to the district making the best average. It is expected that every school district in the county will participate.

All these features are new ones for Scioto county or for any county so far as that is concerned. The attendance contest, the informal discussions, the address of Prof. Ivins, the spelling contest, and above all the general exhibit of the work of all the city and rural schools will all conspire to bring out a record breaking crowd.

For further information as to the meeting or any of its features address Miss Mary Farmer, secretary, 2027 Gallia street, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The members of the executive committee at the meeting this morning were E. W. Edwards, South Webster; Prof. Frank Appel, Portsmouth; S. D. Eckhart, superintendent of New Boston schools.

INFORMATION FOR FENSTERMACHER

City Auditor Gableman is in receipt of a card, addressed to the city clerk, making inquiry as to the members of the Fenstermacher family, or descendants of same, from C. E. Beckel, of Bethlehem, Pa. Mr. Beckel writes that he has something of interest which he wishes to communicate to them.

Any of the family who are interested in the matter can obtain full information by writing to Mr. Beckel.

Mrs. G. Kennedy, of 1901 Eleventh street, is seriously ill, threatened with pneumonia fever.

EAST END WILL GET NEW BLOCK

Plans are under way, which if carried out will result in the East End receiving another fine business block. The announcement was made Saturday that Smith & Dunn, well known coal dealers, are having the preliminary plans made for a business block to cover their property on Gallia street opposite the Blake block.

The lot has dimensions of 117 by 75 and the owners are figuring on putting five store rooms in their building, they to face Gallia street. The plans will be drawn so that additional stories can be added to the property any time the owners so desired. It was rumored that the owners would erect a five story brick building, but this has not been definitely settled.

It is understood that L. F. Lemon, the hustling East End merchant, will occupy one room.

BEST "13" STORY YET TOLD

It will be a very difficult matter in the future to convince Engineer 275, C. B. Ross, Fireman T. E. Bruce and Conductor Samuel Conrad that there isn't anything superstitious about the figures 13. Listen to their story about an accident on Friday, the 13th.

There were 13 cars in their extra train which was marked up as Extra 275. At 9:13 Friday morning while the train was being backed up this side of Chillicothe the train killed a mule 13 years old. And in the car which bumped into His Muleship and snatched his life away 13 negroes were riding. The accident happened 13 miles north of Waverly. Next!

Fingers Mangled; Are Amputated

Maimed for life will be W. S. Brown, an employe of the United Sheet and Metal Culvert company, whose plant is located in New Boston, the result of an accident that befell him Saturday morning.

While operating a machine used to trim the corrugation off culvert plates Brown had his left hand caught in the cog wheels of the machine and all of his fingers and three-fourths of his thumb were mangled so badly that they had to be amputated at the Hempstead hospital where Brown was taken soon after the regrettable accident. Two physicians tried to save Brown's hand, but they found the flesh so badly torn and mangled that they had to take all the fingers off entirely and most of the injured man's thumb. They left him a good palm and Brown will have full use of it says his physicians.

The accident took place at 11:20 Saturday morning. Brown is 51 years old and resides with his family on Gallia avenue, New Boston.

Arranging For Mains

Service Director Gergens, Engineer Lash of the N. & W., a representative of the John H. McGowan company of Cincinnati and Engineer Weiler, in charge of the work at the new water works plant, are on an inspection trip of the water works plant Saturday, to determine upon some amicable solution of the problem of running the [illegible] pressure pipes along the N. & W. right of way.

An effort will be made to hit upon a plan to lay the pipes so that no damage will result to the N. & W. property, and the representative of the John H. McGowan company is here to see to it that the plan adopted does not interfere with the operation of the machinery installed in the new plant. Engineer J. F. Witmer of Buffalo, N. Y., who was expected here Friday afternoon, telephoned that he could not be here, but that he would arrive some time next week. However, his local representative, Mr. Withers, is fully informed as to the work and has full power to act for his employer.

The B. & O. Railroad company on Saturday afternoon granted the city an easement to run the pipes across its right of way so no trouble will be experienced in that connection.

The Tuesday Afternoon [illegible] will meet [illegible] Wells [illegible]

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STOCKDALE INSTITUTE

In spite of the unfavorable weather in the neighborhood of 300 farmers attended the sessions of the Stockdale Institute Saturday, and the closing day's sessions were among the most interesting ever held in that section. At the morning session Prof. Frank Blackburn gave an interesting talk on "Corn" followed by an instructive lecture by Prof. J. M. Hudson on the subject "Developing The Dairy Herd." Special music was rendered by the Stockdale M. E. church choir.

The feature of the closing session of the institute Saturday afternoon was the address by Prof. C. C. Miller, of Lima, an assistant in the office of the state commissioner of public schools, on the subject, "The New School Idea." At this session, J. H. Vickers was elected president and William Thompson, secretary of the 1915 Institute, which will be held early next year. The sessions of the Institute were held in the Stockdale K. of P. Hall.

Magnolia Meeting

At a meeting of the Magnolia lodge Monday night at 7:30 two candidates will be admitted to the Pake Rank. After the initiation refreshments will be served, and a musical program rendered.

Arrested At New Boston

Joe Morseis, a foreigner, employed at the steel mill, was arrested by Marshal Will I. Davis at New Boston Saturday at 11 o'clock for being drunk and disorderly. He will have his trial Saturday evening.

DIGS OUT SKUNK AND IS ARRESTED

While at Clifford Friday afternoon Deputy Game Warden [illegible] Smith [illegible] was taken before Squire [illegible] he entered a plea of not guilty. He will be given a hearing Saturday, February 21.

NEW BOSTON

Council will meet in semi-monthly session Monday evening. The school board will hold a short session before council. The old school house on Oak street will be sold at this meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met Thursday in the church basement for an all day's work. At noon lunch was served. Ten of the members were present. Devotional services were held in the afternoon. Every lady is invited to attend these meetings, which are held at the church every Thursday.

"Uncle" Joe Morgan of Grace street is improving very slowly from a four week's illness with grip.

Ernest Coburn, druggist, is under the weather with a severe cold.

Huff and Wells, plumbers of Gallia street, have moved to Center street. They will use the basement of Coburn's drug store for the storing of their pipes and supplies.

A hobo who applied to Deputy Marshal Hell for lodging Friday night was given permission to sleep in the village jail. He left town early Saturday.

Earl McKenley, clerk at Coburn's pharmacy, fell on the ice covered steps at the village post-office Friday and bruised his back. He was about as usual Saturday.

Millbrook council, Daughters of America, held their regular weekly meeting Friday evening. Three applications for membership were received. On February 27 a class of ten will be initiated and the degree team from the city camp will assist in the work.

The social given at the Christian church Friday evening was a splendid success. The Young Ladies' Bible class, No. 2, had charge of the social.

Mrs. Thomas Adkins of Grace street is recovering very slowly from a long attack of grip.

Ira Shafer, Gallia pike barber, is complaining of the recent order made by council that each resident must have a garbage box, because somebody has made away with his box. The next one he will keep close to the house and will not set it in the alley.

The three candidates who were to be initiated into the secrets of the W. O. W. lodge Thursday failed to show up and the initiation had to be postponed until a later meeting.

George Lauder, Gallia pike butcher, is making small changes in his shop. The large ice box has been moved back giving him more room in the front part of the shop.

The funeral of Herbert Littner, who died Thursday, was held from the Christian church Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. E. G. Hamilton of the Grandview Avenue Christian church had charge of the services. Burial was made in Greenlawn.

Miss Irene Smith, clerk at J. Sam Davis' store, will spend Sunday with her parents at Ashland, Ky.

Thomas Harr, Ohio avenue grocer, is suffering with an attack of grip.

Newton McGraw of Spruce street is confined to his home with a slight attack of grip.

Misses Elsie Gall and Ellen Watkins went to Ironton to visit friends until Sunday evening.

Mill Engine Is Derailed

The steel mill yard engine No. 123 was derailed by a misplaced switch at the plant about 9:30 Saturday morning. The engine stood across the main tracks of the B. & O. and the N. & W., delaying traffic until its retracking was accomplished at 11:30.

SNOW KICKS

Several pedestrians complained to the police Saturday that workmen engaged to shovel snow from roofs in the business district were not using caution in protecting pedestrians. The mayor detailed officers to notify the owners of the properties that the men would have to be careful.

J. B. Feastick, proprietor of a restaurant on Eleventh street, complained Friday noon that the snow was being shoveled up against the front of his place of business, thereby inconveniencing his customers.

Robinson Released

"York" Robinson, North End young man who has been a prisoner at the city prison since last Saturday, was discharged Saturday on his promise to pay his fine of $[illegible] via the installment plan.

Harry Dixon, street car conductor, of Ninth street, who was threatened with pneumonia, is reported improving.

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One 30 lb. pail of Jelly $1.28
1 bbl. Gold Medal Flour $5.25
1 sack Tip Top Flour 64c
Four cans of Dixon's Hominy 25c
10 lbs. Pickled Pork $1.00
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